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Anglus Americanus.*

#### The Dummer Coat of Arms

Help, please. We are looking for a copy of the Governor Dummer Academy shield which incorporates the Dummer Coat of Arms and the Latin phrase "Non Sibi Sed Aliis", thought to be the original school motto. Should any alumnus have the shield would he or she please send it to Mr. Bragdon.

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### GOVERNOR DUMMER ACADEMY

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## The Bragdon s Arrive

*Peter W. Bragdon began as the 26th Headmaster of GDA on July 1. He comes to us from Kent School: during his eighteen years there he served as Chairman of the History Department, Varsity Hockey Coach, and Director of Admissions. The son of an independent school teacher, Mr. Bragdon was raised and educated at boarding schools. With his wife Dorothy he has lived and worked at independent schools for twenty-three years. They have three children: Bill, 21, Chris, 19, and Katherine, 14.*

**Q.** Could you tell us a little bit about your family?

**A.** My wife Dottie and I have been fortunate. Our family is healthy, close and loyal. Bill is entering his junior year at Syracuse. Last spring he stroked the Syracuse first eight. Chris is entering his sophomore year at Amherst after a successful freshman year with a high academic average. "My favorite daughter," Katherine, will be entering Kent this year. She resisted the charm of Mike Moonves to follow the route taken by her brothers.

Another aspect of our family is our heritage. The Bragdons in North America began with an illiterate English peasant, Arthur Bragdon, who landed in Kittery, Maine in 1638. Dottie's ancestors were Tories who escaped to Nova Scotia. Through the 19th century, the Bragdons were teachers and ministers.

**Q.** Will Dottie be taking an active role in the GDA community?

**A.** My guess is that Dottie's participation in the GDA community will be very similar to her many years of participation in the Kent school community and in the town of Kent. At the school she welcomed students to our house, regularly went to the dining hall, coached intramural crew and supported the teams I was coaching. In town she was for many years the chairperson of the Parks and Recreation Committee. Dottie taught at the local elementary school in special education.

Thus, although there may be an increase in the amount of involvement — particularly with all three of our children away — any change will be consistent with the way we have lived for 23 years of boarding school life. She is looking forward to joining me at the many receptions around the nation scheduled next year.



The Bragdon Family: Peter and Dorothy Bragdon and Chris, Katherine and Bill

**Q.** What was your "Open Door" policy at Kent and will you be bringing it with you to GDA?

**A.** You discovered this term not in your study of American foreign policy at the turn of the century, but in the *Kent News* article about my departure from Kent. This simply refers to the habit of an open house and an open office door. This habit will continue, but, of course, there will be many more interests competing for our time.

I strongly believe in reaching out: over the years the interruptions in my day are frequently more important than the schedule I had planned. Open house will exist at the Mansion House every Saturday night. I hope this will enhance the weekends at GDA.

**Q.** How do you see your role as headmaster?

**A.** The headmaster is an advocate for the school; he is an advocate for a tradition. A headmaster with vision must see over the horizon to anticipate what is coming.

I have to believe that even in today's pressured world there is a role for a headmaster in the true sense of the word, within the English tradition of a leader as a head master among masters. I deeply believe in the tradition of the master, excellent in the classroom, active on the athletic field, enthusiastically involved in the arts, and available in the dormitory. GDA needs no introduction to the tradition of the master with the likes of Ed Dunning, Jack Hosmer, Tom Mercer, Mac Murphy, Buster Navins, Art Sager, Ben Stone, and John Witherspoon having preceded the present outstanding faculty.

**Q.** Why did your father and you choose independent schools for your careers?

**A.** There is no more effective vehicle for educating the young than the independent boarding school. In such an environment, the young have avenues to masters, to discovery, and toward aspects of themselves they maybe have yet to perceive. The boarding-school





environment is more real than life itself, more intense in personal relationships, possibly more challenging than any subsequent environment during a student's life. The school is a crucible, but within this crucible, youngsters are surrounded by adults who nurture them as well as maintain the highest of standards.

To shift to the particular advantages of GDA, I believe the day-student population is a crucial aspect of the GDA experience. The existence of a vital and flourishing boarding experience is beneficial to day students because all the previously discussed relationships available to boarders are also available to day students. Furthermore, the presence of day students during the long day enhances the boarding experience and provides avenues to the surrounding communities.

**Q. What are your goals for GDA?**

A. The goal of GDA has been consistent right from the founding of this school in 1763: to provide an excellent education for young people in the hope that with this education they will serve their communities in the way this

school's first graduates served the emerging American nation. This goal has not altered today as our young head into challenges as threatening as or more threatening than those faced by Americans in the latter 18th century.

**Q. How will GDA be different under your administration?**

A. I really do not want to stress nor do I believe there will be significant differences under the new administration. The momentum of this school has continued unabated from the Eames years thanks to my predecessors, Val Wilkie and Jack Ragle — no small accomplishment given the realities of the 60's and 70's. There will be shifts of emphasis, but these shifts under my influence will always be within the traditions of the school. This does not negate an immediate response to legitimate demands of the day, such as GDA's present response to the urgent need for computer literacy.

I am coming into this position having strongly emphasized during my candidacy and during my initial

speeches that GDA should again be a national school with national recruiting and as full a seven-day week as possible.

**Q. What are your initial impressions of GDA?**

A. I do not have initial impressions: I have known GDA as the son of a faculty member at Brooks and then at Exeter, as a rival athlete, and as the cousin of a former English teacher here, Chris Martin. What I have discovered during these recent months is little different from what I have known about GDA for many years: Governor Dummer is a genuine community, free of front, devoid of chromium. This is a community which encourages candor, friendliness and warmth.

I have been aware of GDA's academic health. I certainly am aware of GDA's superb athletic tradition; only recently have I become aware of the impressive gains made in the world of arts.

**Q. Tell us a little about yourself.**

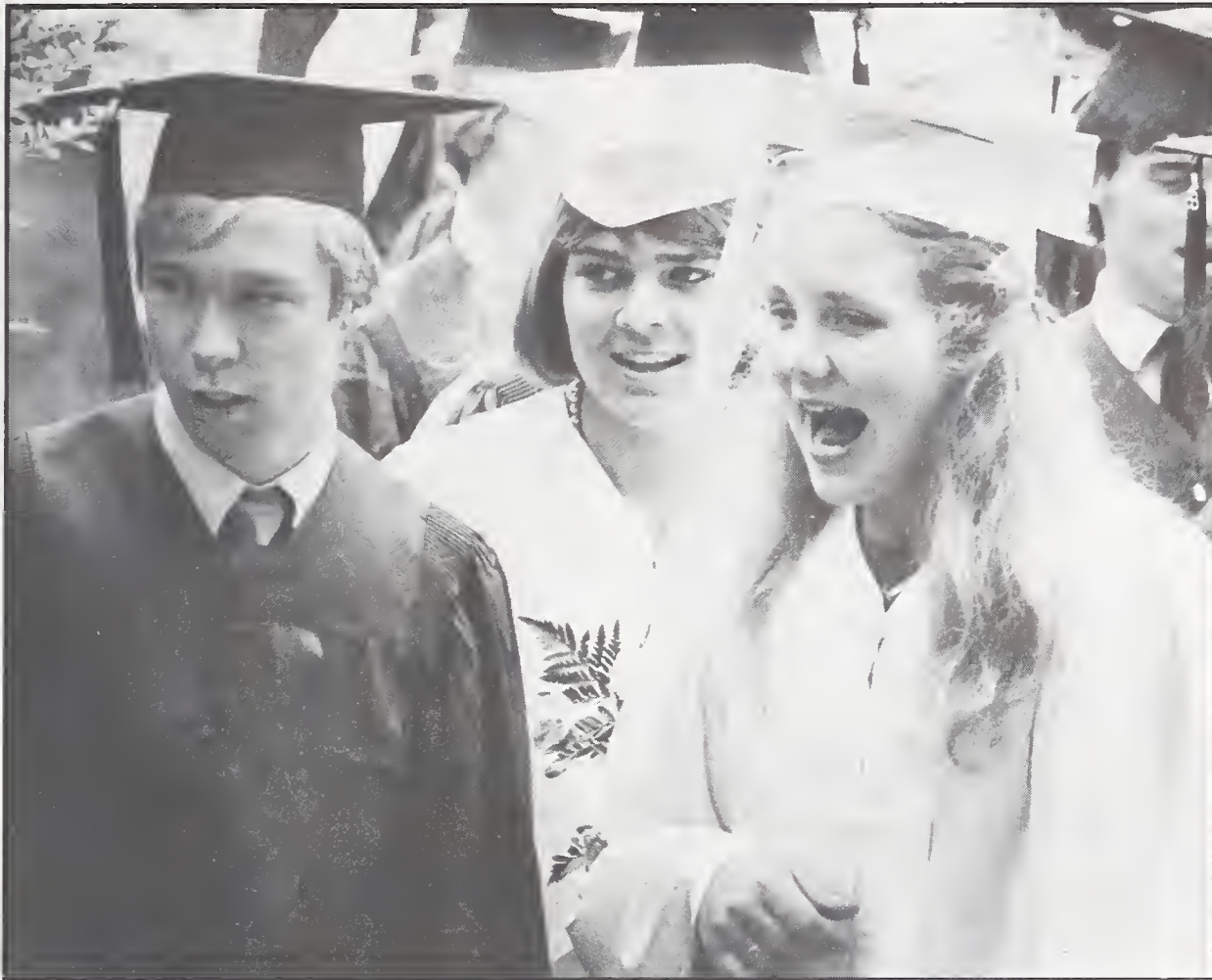
A. I do not know how to be subtle. I prefer my errors of commission to my errors of omission. I will take the extra step for those who try hard, who have the willingness to reach to commit themselves to what they believe in. I am affronted by apathy, falsehood, deviousness, and pretentiousness.

I like trout fishing, crew, the Red Sox, Broadway musicals, historical biographies, ice hockey, the New York Giants, and WBZ. I consider our children to be gifts far beyond what we deserve. Dottie and I have a wonderful time together whatever we are doing: hiking in the Adirondacks, walking the seashore, talking with friends, or sitting on the back porch. In the midst of our commitment to our school we try to locate interludes together.

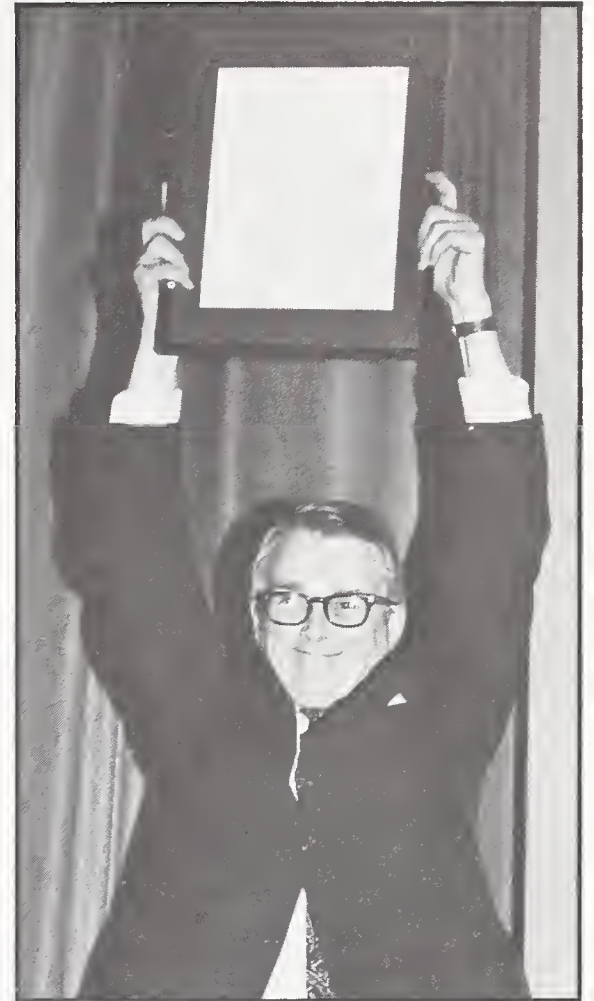
**Q. How has your introduction to GDA as headmaster gone?**

A. The whole process of the search was utterly candid. This candor has carried over into the reception provided by Jack Ragle and all members of the Governor Dummer community. We took many lengthy but worthwhile trips from Kent to GDA along Routes 84, 86, 90, 290, 495 and 95. The result of all the time spent discovering the school and its people is that we do not feel like newcomers to our new community. We are very much looking forward to the beginning of the school year.





Top award winners: Alex Cawley, Academy Prize; and Amy Welch, Morse Flag.



Jack Ragle hoists yearbook dedication citation.

## Joyous Celebration and Tearful Goodbyes

Commencement is a time of paradoxes. Never is a student's schedule more hectic, yet there are no more finals. It is the end of a student's GDA career, but also the beginning of the rest of his or her educational career. There is happiness at successfully completing a four-year ordeal, but sorrow at leaving one's second home and special friends.

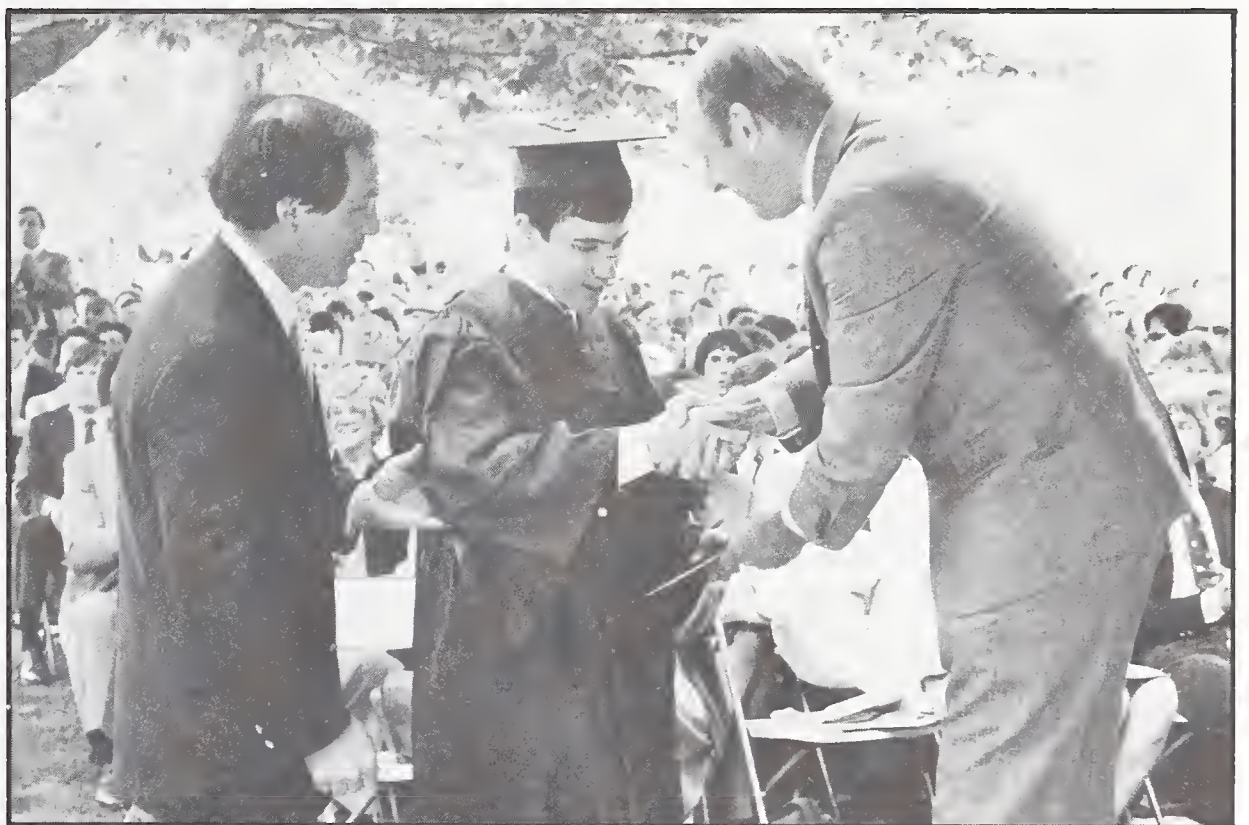
But amongst all the mixed emotions, there is always the pageantry of a traditional GDA commencement: from the baccalaureate service to the hurdling of the old stone wall. And then...a plethora of handshaking, congratulating and picture taking. Hugs and gifts. And the inevitable goodbyes.

In addition to the 89 diplomas conferred by GDA President of the Board of Trustees Carl Pescosolido, Headmaster Jack Ragle also departed from the school with an honorary diploma awarded him by the senior class.

Eleven graduating classes have studied under the headmastership of Mr. Ragle, but this was the first class to

hear him give the commencement address. Mr. Ragle encouraged the graduates to live a life of concern and support for others. He said the basic foundation of world-wide society will be preserved only with caring beyond

one's own interests and concerns, and that the world society is "threatened by self-serving actions." He said, "education in the best sense of the word does not exist unless generosity of the mind and action lie at the core of it."



President Carl Pescosolido, Jr. presents diploma to GDA's first blind graduate, Tim Pierce. Director of Admissions Mike Moonves looks on.





Morse Flag winner Amy Welch with parents Joe '47 and Donna Welch

Mr. Ragle's priority as headmaster was to make sure that education in its best sense does exist at GDA. The graduates' procession onto the Mansion House lawn led by the two top prize winners, Amy Welch and Alex Cawley, was testimony to the outstanding quality of the Class of '83.

Ms. Welch was the 71st recipient of the Morse Flag award presented "to the senior whose record in all respects meets with the highest approval of the faculty." Mr. Cawley, 53rd winner of the Academy Prize, was cited as "the senior whose unselfishness and sportsmanship have best exemplified the spirit of the Academy."

The Thorndike Hilton Cup awarded to the ranking scholar of the senior class went to Aaron Halpern. It came as no surprise to GDA sports fans that the Goodwin Athletic Prize was awarded to standout athlete Andre LeFleur. A special presentation went to Chris Laganas as a tribute to the remarkable feat of earning 12 varsity letters during his four years at GDA. The only other GDA graduate ever to

collect 12 letters was Susan Perry '81, who was on hand at the awards ceremony to present Mr. Laganas with the special jacket which up to this year only she had worn.



A happy group of graduates



Headmaster Ragle presents Andre LaFleur with the Goodwin Athletic Prize.

Of special note during commencement was the series of inspiring speeches over the two-day affair. The Rev. Dean Borgman spoke at the baccalaureate service preaching "belief in yourself, belief in your neighbor, and belief in your nation." What made the final convocation even more memorable was the performance of *I Say Goodbye*, a song written and sung by the Rev. Borgman's son, graduating senior John Borgman and accompanied by pianist Chris Frangos.

Students speaking at the Thursday evening awards ceremony were Amy Welch, Susan Studley and Bruce Turner, all winners of the Ambrose Speaking prizes. The spirit of the commencement can be summed up in Ms. Studley's statement, "We are all ready to leave together."



# Colleges for the Class of 1983

Mary Gail Adams ..... Decision Pending  
 William D. Adams ..... Lehigh University  
 David A. Agger ..... Lehigh University  
 James H. Aimone, III ..... St. Michael's College  
 Stanley G. Aizenstark ..... Boston University  
 Philip J. Appleton ..... University of Rochester  
 Letty M. Baum ..... Gettysburg College  
 James S. Bernier ..... University of Vermont  
 John H. Borgman ..... Berklee School of Music  
 Sarah A. Bradshaw ..... Wheaton College  
 Sarah D. Breed ..... Mt. Holyoke  
 Todd A. Brown ..... Skidmore College  
 Bartley H. Calder, Jr. .... Guilford College  
 Alexander P. Cawley ..... Brown University  
 Douglass S. Chase ..... University of Massachusetts  
 Arthur H. Cohen ..... University of Chicago  
 Kevin P. Cryts ..... Rollins College  
 David S. Dow ..... Norwich University  
 Gregory M. Ehrlich ..... Lehigh University  
 Catherine E. Eveleth ..... Alfred University  
 Karen M. Fasciano ..... Bowdoin College  
 Christopher M. Frangos ..... Ithaca College  
 Jonathan D. Gibbs ..... Hobart College  
 Michael S. Gilfeather ..... University of Lowell  
 Christopher R. Ginsberg ..... Deferring  
 Karen A. Gronberg ..... Northeastern University  
 Aaron L. Halpern ..... Stanford University  
 Caleb S. Ham ..... University of New Hampshire  
 Frederick J. Hare ..... University of Vermont  
 Heidi K. Heasley ..... Cornell University  
 Elizabeth L. Higgins ..... Tufts University  
 Adam E. Hirshfield ..... Boston University  
 David S. Hoffman ..... Hobart College  
 W. Drew Hoffman ..... Boston College  
 Peter A. Judson ..... Skidmore College  
 Elea J. Kemler ..... Barnard College  
 David H. Kinder ..... Exeter University  
 Jeffrey L. Knight ..... Colgate University  
 Laura J. Koffman ..... University of Massachusetts  
 Caroline S. Krause ..... Northeastern University  
 Amy D. Krukonis ..... Gordon College  
 Andre P. LaFleur ..... Northeastern University  
 Chris P. Laganos ..... University of New Hampshire  
 Rebecca B. Lapham ..... Ithaca College

Susan B. Lilly ..... Bates College  
 Frederic A. Macdonald ..... Connecticut College  
 Thomas J. Malay ..... Union College  
 J. Elizabeth Martin ..... Endicott College  
 Stephanie McFadden ..... University of Southern California  
 Daniel P. McLaughlin ..... Boston College  
 Gregory H. Menyhart ..... Rollins College  
 C. Herrick Morse ..... Worcester Polytechnic Institute  
 Christopher Nesbit ..... New Hampshire College  
 Laurianne Nester ..... Mount Holyoke College  
 Steven L. Nicholson ..... Rollins College  
 Patricia A. O'Malley ..... John Carroll University  
 Lisa A. Perry ..... University of New Hampshire  
 Timothy C. Pierce ..... Colby College  
 Patricia E. Quinn ..... Dickinson College  
 John D. Richards ..... Franklin & Marshall College  
 Rebecca H. Riehl ..... Bryn Mawr College  
 Peter A. Riley ..... Connecticut College  
 James L. Rose ..... Trinity College  
 Peter E. Ross ..... University of Colorado  
 Teresa R. Russo ..... Northeastern University  
 Elizabeth R. Sanders ..... University of New Hampshire  
 Danielle L. Schwartz ..... University of Massachusetts  
 Cord M. Shore ..... Boston University  
 Gregory W. Skaff ..... Franklin & Marshall College  
 Ann H. Sperry ..... University of New Hampshire  
 John M. Stahl ..... Babson College  
 Mark E. Staley ..... Illinois State University  
 Andrew P. Stempler ..... University of Colorado  
 Wendy L. Stetson ..... Kenyon College  
 Richard E. Stram ..... University of Vermont  
 Susan L. Studley ..... Lake Forest College  
 Mark D. Sullivan ..... Georgetown University  
 Timothy K. Sullivan ..... Colby College  
 John S. H. Sylvain, II ..... Yale University  
 Susan J. Towler ..... Dartmouth College  
 Bruce C. Turner ..... Connecticut College  
 Page A. Tyler ..... Will not be attending  
 Nicholas J. Valhouli ..... Plymouth State College  
 Erika L. Walberg ..... Barnard College  
 Ernest M. Wallent ..... Clark University  
 Amy S. Welch ..... Dartmouth College  
 Lori A. Whitney ..... Ithaca College  
 Hope A. Williams ..... University of Vermont

Partial listing of other colleges where students were accepted but are not attending: Brandeis University, Carleton College, Denison College, Drew University, Goucher College, Harvard University, Lafayette College, Lewis and Clark College, Middlebury College, MIT, Princeton University, St. Lawrence College, Sarah Lawrence College, Swarthmore College, University of Richmond, Vassar College, Wellesley College, Wesleyan College, William & Mary College, William Smith College.





Start of the Pie Race

Yet most of all, this was a special Reunion Day because of Jack Ragle's departure to return to teaching. Jack addressed an overflowing crowd of alumni in the Cobb Room who came to hear his final address to the alumni. Jack said he was leaving the school on "solid" ground and wished his successor good luck. The school's new headmaster Peter Bragdon and his wife Dorothy were introduced to the alumni for the first time. Mr. Bragdon said he was looking forward to becoming the 26th headmaster and called GDA "a dynamic school with a limitless future."

Alumni Association President Sam Wakeman '61 began the alumni meeting singling out certain alumni: Jim Gardiner, New York City, of the Class of '23 as the oldest living alumnus in attendance (who was later

preempted by Dr. Storer Humphreys of Newbury from the Class of '22). He also paid tribute to Edward Flint, of Claremont, California, Class of '33, as the alumnus who traveled the greatest distance. Seven alumni from the Class of '33 were present.

He then turned over the reins of the active group to Peter Navins '64. Peter's first act as the new president was to announce the winner of the Alumnus of the Year Award. It went — and "rightly so" said Mr. Navins — to Dave Goodhart '41. Mr. Goodhart was a member of the Alumni Association Executive Committee for many years, he is the class agent for the Class of '41, and is a regular and active participant in all alumni functions from reunions, to receptions, to phonathons.

**M**other Nature did her best to wash away Reunion Day, but even the downpour failed to dampen the wonderful time enjoyed by the largest group of returning alumni in the history of the Academy.

More than 400 alumni, friends and family turned out for Jack Ragle's last Reunion Day. The rain was almost a welcome event as it permitted alumni and students for one last time to witness the familiar sight of Mr. Ragle out on the lacrosse field in his boots or watching a race with an umbrella.

The day's events began with the third annual Alumni and Student Pie Race. Senior Gregory Skaff led the pack with a time of 25 minutes and 43 seconds over the 4.75 mile course. All 26 starters finished the race, which included 13 alumni (and one alumnus' son), 10 students and two faculty members.

The skies cleared in the afternoon so that lacrosse players took to the fields. Always one of the most exciting events of the day, alumni were treated to particularly spirited play. But alas, youth won out and both the boys' and girls' varsity teams beat the alumni.



Alumni score at the Varsity-Alumni Lacrosse game.





Alumnus of the Year Dave Goodhart '41 receives bowl from Alumni Association President Peter Navins '66.

But the evening belonged to Jack Ragle. Jack walked into a dinner in his honor to be surprised by hundreds of brightly colored helium balloons tied to the chairs all adorned with the words, "Congratulations Jack." Buster Navins was a noteworthy master of ceremonies and representatives from the alumni, faculty, trustees, students and parents took part in a tribute to Mr. Ragle.

Of particular importance to Mr. Ragle was the \$100,000 check

presented by Joe Welch '47, Chairman of the Development Committee, toward the construction of the new Kaiser Arts Center, representing gifts contributed during the spring in Jack Ragle's honor. Senior parents donated a whopping \$36,600 toward that sum with the difference being made up from alumni, current parents and friends.

The evening ended with a gala banquet and dancing to Chuck Stevenson and the State Street Ramblers Jazz Band.

Saturday's activities were preceded by reunion class parties on Friday night, a growing tradition.

Tom and Kittie Mercer hosted members and their wives of the Class of '33. The Class of '43 met at Crosby Hitchcock's home. Bill and Audrey Plumer entertained more than thirty



Gala Reunion Banquet

people from the Class of '53 at their home in Wellesley. The Class of '58, under the leadership of Harvey Hayden, got together at a restaurant in Newburyport.

Carl Spang hosted the reunion party for the Class of '68 in Newburyport. The five and ten-year reunions also held reunion parties which were attended by more than 30 alumni each. Debbie McClement organized a party at Doug Pope's house for the Class of '73. And Brad Clark, Peter Feith and Jody Baum were all important in organizing the reunion for the Class of '78 at Andy Stephenson's house.



Harvey Hayden '58 with daughter Sarah



At Reunion Banquet: Mac Murphy, Mrs. Eleanore Eames, Mrs. Dorothy Bragdon, and Nancy and Ben Stone



## The Governor Dummer Scene



Attending first IAC meeting are Bill Alfond, Courtney Wang, Hugh Dietz, George McGregor, Peter Bragdon, Jack Ragle, Skip Pescosolido, Chuck Hussey, Bill Atwell, Fred Smith, Cyril Fung, and Dick Osgood.

### IAC Formed

In the making for more than a year, the International Advisory Council held their initial meeting in April in Boston and at the Academy. The primary objective of the Council as outlined by Chairman Frederick M. Smith, II '52 is "to support the Trustees' goal of maintaining Governor Dummer Academy and its position of national prominence."

Charter members include Bill Alfond '67, Dexter, Maine; Bill Atwell '51, San Antonio; Ted Bergmann '37, Los Angeles; Hugh Dietz '60, Syracuse; Cyril Fung '57, Hong Kong; Chuck Hussey '51, Chicago; Bill Judson '44, New York; Harrison Poole '39, New York; Tom Tenney '39, Newburgh, NY; and Courtney Wang '74, Denver.

Trustees participating in the two-day conference included President Skip Pescosolido '55, Edgar Kaiser '61, George McGregor '51, Ed O'Dell P'81, '84, Dick Osgood '53, and Nuff Withington '58.

Specific agenda items for the Council include increasing national awareness and recruitment and assisting in long-range planning.

### Music Fills the Air

You no longer have to go to Tanglewood for classical music in a scenic location. GDA and the New England Conservatory school have formed an affiliation. The Conservatory is offering the talent, the school provides the location. The result has been beautiful music.

As in past summers, GDA is the site of several sports camps. Soccer, cheerleading, field hockey and football are all being taught on campus this summer. But in addition to these programs, GDA has offered its campus to the Conservatory to house students. In addition, there have been daily coaching, rehearsing and classes, as well as Conservatory faculty and student performances. The New England Conservatory has had an extensive concert program at nearby Castle Hill estate with GDA as the base of operations.

Thanks to the Conservatory, it is not unusual this summer to walk across campus to a pianist performing Schumann or a string trio playing Mendelssohn.



President Pescosolido and Edgar Kaiser at IAC

### Washington 4

For the fourth time in as many years, Mrs. Meredith Homet (mother of Daniel Cross '81) generously hosted eight seniors for a week in Washington, DC. The group consisted of Elea Kemler, Wendy Stetson, Amy Welch, David Kinder, Bruce Turner, John Stahl, Karen Fasciano and Mark Sullivan, and their chaperon, Thomas Tindall of the History and Religion departments. The group returned to Byfield physically exhausted but mentally stimulated.

The activity started with a visit to the Supreme Court on Monday morning where the group was fortunate to hear four decisions handed down by the court. Following this, they were escorted to a conference room where Justice Sandra Day O'Connor spent fifteen minutes describing the process taken when a case is introduced to the court. Justice O'Connor was a tough act to follow; however, Mrs. Homet did do a superb job with the other meetings she arranged.

Another one of these took place that evening. Harry Thayer, the United States Ambassador to Singapore, spent an hour with the group in Mrs. Homet's living room talking about all aspects of foreign service and relating a few enlightening personal anecdotes.

Altogether, the group met with twelve individuals ranging from a former employee in the Senate cloakroom to the Deputy Director of the Export-Import Bank.



## Alumni, Association Elects Eight to Executive Committee

Eight alumni were recently elected to the Alumni Association's Executive Committee. Joining the board are Heather Blair '77 of Arlington, MA; Benjamin Pearson '44 of Byfield, President of the Byfield Snuff Company, and Archer desCognets '49 of Lincoln, Executive Vice President at Putnam Management Co., Inc.

Other new members include Stephen Dunfey '75 of Hampton, NH a realtor for DFC Gallery of Home Realtors and a former New Hampshire state representative; Mary Weldon Karlin '76 of Manchester, NH; Pamela McElroy '74 of Cambridge, MA, a marketing representative at Polaroid, and Peter Sherin '59 of Boston, president of Bell Markets.

The regional representative in Chicago will be Jonathan Sendor '74, an employee at AT&T.

Peter Navins '66 was elected president. The executive committee meets three to five times a year and helps at developing effective alumni programs.

## Alumni Gatherings Planned Throughout the Country This Fall

The tentative travel schedule to meet with alumni in various parts of the country will include gatherings in Woodstock VT, Hanover, NH, Cape Cod, Atlanta, Washington, DC, Tucson, San Diego, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Denver, Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, St. Petersburg, Miami, Philadelphia, New York, Chicago, Cincinnati and Detroit.

Alumni comments from all prior trips are excellent, particularly from those who never have the chance to return to Byfield. Of course, alumni and parents are invited to attend any reception wherever.



Alumni Trustee Brian Lenane with son Kevin

## New Trustees Elected

After several years of faithful service to GDA, trustees Widgery Thomas '43 and Michael Hoover '71 have retired from the board. The board at its meeting in May elected Jonathan Shafmaster '63 and Brian Lenane '72 as new trustees.

Mr. Shafmaster, his wife Michele, and daughter Amy, 11, live in Durham, NH. He is president of Import Leather Inc. in Exeter, NH. He graduated from Williams College and earned an MBA from the Amos Tuck School at Dartmouth. Elected to a five year term, Mr. Shafmaster is a loyal and generous supporter of GDA.

Mr. Lenane, elected as an Alumni Trustee serving three years, currently serves GDA as one of its most active class agents. He lives in Topsfield with his wife Susan and his two children.

Mr. Lenane graduated from Franklin and Marshall, and the Wharton Graduate School. He works in corporate finance as the U.S. Area Revenue Accounting Manager for Digital Equipment Corporation in Maynard.

Mr. Thomas, from Portland, Maine is widely known amongst alumni. Elected as a trustee in 1978, he served on several committees including chairman of the Endowment Committee. Even though formally retired as a trustee, Widgery's contributions as an alumnus will continue unabated.

Mr. Hoover was elected as an alumni trustee in 1980. Mike is a class agent and a member of the New York area Alumni Association steering committee.



Cyril Fung and Bill Atwell



Liz Kimball '84 and her grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Owen Greene, Mrs. Natalie Tremble, Kathy Lambert '84, and Peter Quimby '85. Mr. Greene was celebrating his 89th birthday.

## Grandparents Day to be Repeated in '84

The first Grandparents Day, deemed a great success by the faculty and administration, will be held again in May, 1984. More than fifty grandparents attended classes with their grandsons and granddaughters, followed by discussion with department heads and an afternoon of games. Faculty and students enjoyed this participation in class discussion, particularly in language and history sections.

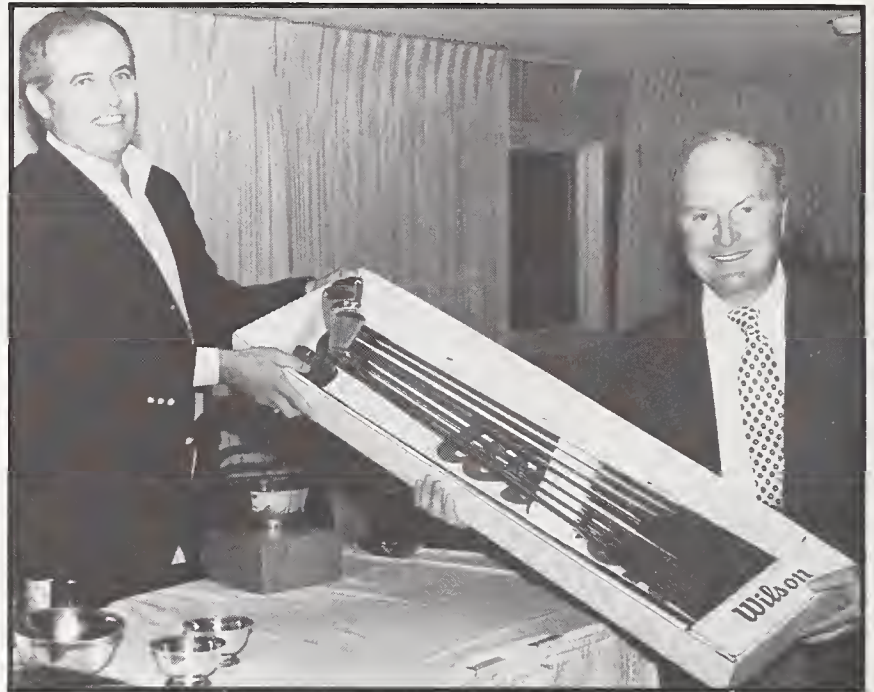




Low Gross winner Jim Deveney '60

## Golf and Tennis Tournament Huge Success

The first — of what will prove to be many — Golf and Tennis Tournament sponsored by the Governor Dummer Allies was a great outing. Held in May, eighty golfers participated in a 12:30 P.M. shotgun while 34 tennis enthusiasts played in a social round robin. Organized to accomplish two goals — raise money and to have a good time — both objectives were met. Nearly \$9,000 was netted by the Allies to fund their special school interests, and the participants are ready to sign up for next year. Chairman was Ron Liss P'84, '85.



Chairman Ron Liss presents clubs to James Weldon '48.



Tom Walch P'84, Jim Deveney '60, John (Ralph) O'Leary '69, Andy Costello '69



Tennis chairman Doctor Carter Tallman P'84 presents bowl to tennis winner Mrs. Meade Fasciano P'83.

## Faculty Shifts

There will be some changes in the faculty this fall.

Returning from a year's leave of absence to teach English and coach hockey and soccer will be Bob Cole who recently earned his masters in English Literature from the University of New Hampshire. Bob lives in Perkins III.

Mark Bogursky will be joining GDA after graduating from Columbia University. He will teach math, help develop a computer education curriculum, and coach. He is from New York City and has experience with the Harlem Big Brother program, a New Hampshire camp, and was a fraternity officer.

Linda Bromley will teach Latin. She comes to us from Woodstock, VT where she was head of the language department, Woodstock Regional High School. Her husband Bob Bromley will coach hockey and baseball. They are both experienced teachers, have two young children, and will live in Pierce II, a girls' dormitory.

John Friborg will join the GDA team to teach history and coach. He taught at the New Canaan Country school in Conne-

ticut. He is from Winchester and has experience counseling at Camp Belknap. He recently earned a masters' degree from the University of New Hampshire, and will live in Eames Under.

William Little will teach history and religion, and coach. He earned a masters' degree from the Gordon-Conwell Seminary. He did extensive church work with youth groups, and did drug counseling for two years with the Navy. He is from the Pittsburgh, PA area. He will live with his wife and young child in Ingham.

Joining the development office will be Gordon Greenfield. He worked at three newspapers and in the development office at Lynn Hospital. He recently graduated from Northeastern University and is from Natick. He occupies the apartment in Commons II.

Several quality members of the faculty and administration will be leaving GDA. Julie Soloway has resigned to pursue her music career full-time. She taught music at GDA for four years. Merrill Beckett taught Latin at GDA since 1977, and will be leaving to enter private industry.

Ethel Whitney will be retiring after 25 years of service at GDA. For the bulk of her years here, she worked as the secretary to former Director of Admissions John Witherspoon until moving into the main office.

Beth Cawley has volunteered her time to handle GDA's publicity while her three sons attended GDA. She will relinquish her role as head of publicity after 10 years of service to the school.

Tim Tindall, a history and religion teacher, will take a leave of absence to accept a one-year appointment as Director of Admissions at the Master's School in West Simsbury, CT. Also taking a leave of absence is history teacher alumnus Mike Mulligan '71, who will be continuing his education at the Harvard Graduate School of Education. Alex White will be extending his leave of absence to continue teaching in Mexico.

Ann Lowery has left the development office to take a position as an admissions counselor at Union College. Brad Clark completed his internship in the religion department and will be entering a masters' program at the University of Chicago.



## Faculty Summertime Activities

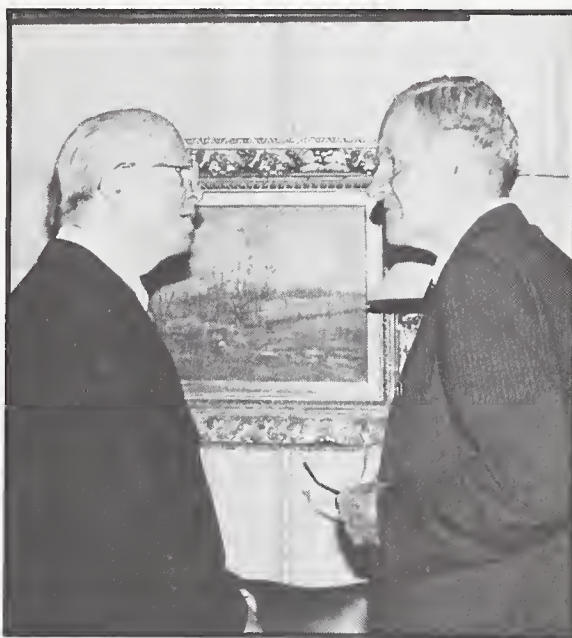
For alumni interest, activities this summer of some of the faculty include: Mike '71 and Joy Mulligan, English and history, will be finishing work on their masters' degrees at Middlebury College (Bread Loaf School of English); Brad Clark '78, religion intern, will be attending classes at University of Virginia in preparation for studies at University of Chicago; Chris Stowens, Coordinator of the Arts, will be performing and composing throughout the summer as president of Composers in Red Sneakers; Nancy Marculewicz, art, will be teaching workshops in painting, assembly and collage and attending photography school; David Moore, math and science, will be teaching math at Phillips Academy; Heb Evans will be managing Keewaydin Camp outpost on Kawawegama Lake, Allanwater, Ontario; Neil Glickstein will be traveling to Spain, Portugal and Morocco.



Mr. Ragle presents typewriter to Mrs. Ethel Whitney.

## Ahl Exhibit

From mid-April through mid-June, GDA was loaned a collection of the Ahl family paintings from Professor Dr. A. Everette James of Vanderbilt



Tom Mercer and Henry Curtis Ahl '23

University. The exhibit on display in the Cobb Room, Phillips Building, attracted many visitors. Henry Curtis Ahl, GDA '23, lives in neighboring Rowley and is the son of Henry Hammond Ahl (1869-1953) and Eleanor Curtis Ahl (1875-1953). The Ahl works are now valued collector pieces, and owned by many GDA families.

## Summer Fix-ups

Business manager Don Champoux has his crew working full tilt this summer as GDA gets a minor facelift.

The first priority was the repainting and papering of the Mansion House for the new headmaster and his family. Phase II of the Perkins Dormitory renovations is underway and the bathrooms in Eames and Pierce have been rebuilt.

A weatherproofing and cosmetic touch has been added to the Moody Dormitory as the deteriorating clapboards have been replaced. The patio in front of the Gym has been rebuilt, and the immediate area relandscaped.

In addition, the exterior of several buildings is being painted as well as student dorm rooms.

Obviously, it's a big, ongoing, costly job to maintain our beautiful New England colonial-style campus.

## Headmaster Investiture

The Investiture of Headmaster Bragdon will be on Saturday, October 1, Homecoming Day. Invitations will be mailed in late summer, but all alumni, parents and friends are cordially invited to attend to greet Mr. and Mrs. Bragdon and their family.

## Annual Fund Continues Growth

A full report will be presented in the fall *Archon*, but here is a preliminary report:

Gifts from alumni, parents and friends totalled \$251,924 compared to \$236,186 last year. Last year's figures include gifts from Senior Parents so when their special gift of \$36,600 is added to this year's \$251,924, the total dollar is an impressive \$288,524:

In a nutshell:

Alumni	\$147,926
Parents	45,419
Past Parents	21,629
Friends	5,284
Matching Gifts	31,666
	<b>\$251,924</b>

plus Senior Parents (Including Pledges)	<u>36,600</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$288,524</b>

Special thanks go to Tim Greene '50, National Alumni Fund Chairman, Fred Adams P'83, '84 and Ben Williams P'83, Senior Parent Chairman, Dan Daley P'84, '85, Parent Chairman, Ed O'Dell P'81, '84, Past Parent Chairman and John and Barbara Kirk GP'85, Grandparent Chairmen.



Dave Yesair '50

## Participation Competition Intense

Class agent Put Flint '37 has pulled his class to the top of the participation ranking for the past six years, averaging 81% participation. He is held in such high esteem by his peers that the new alumni fund participation bowl was named in his honor.

Not many agents thought his rank was touchable, but several set out to unseat the Class of '37 including Dave Yesair and the Class of 1950. Succeed they did!

Class of '50—90% participation  
Class of '37—85% participation

Congratulations go to Dave Yesair, Tim Greene and Charlie Cashin for their creativeness, enthusiasm and hard work.

Next year? Guess we'll have to wait!



## Laxmen Complete Notable Season

The men's lacrosse team had yet another successful year under the tutelage of long-time coaches G. Heberton Evans and Robert Anderson, having compiled a 231-123 record over 26 seasons.

Chris Laganas and David Hoffman shared the MVP honors. Laganas retires as a high school All-American, the first at GDA since 1978, while becoming the leading scorer in the history of the academy. His 185 points shattered the old school record by 36 points. Hoffman made the transition from midfield to attack with ease halfway through his four years at GDA. He tallied 89 points and ranks 10th in the GDA all-time scoring leaders.



Lacrosse MVP Chris Laganas moves in on opponent.



High jumper Roechelle Smith '84 clears the bar.

## Tough Schedule Aces Women's Tennis

A young women's varsity tennis squad faced a wealth of experience and depth in the ISL this year, and as a result fell to a character building 0-8 record.

"We played teams that were absolute powerhouses," said coach Dudley Cleghorn, "but we hung in there and won our share of games. This team was courteous, displayed exceptional sportsmanship, and supported each other all season long."

The coach presented sophomore Roslyn Pechet with an award for winning the most sets throughout the season. She participated in second doubles, and was one of the steadier players on the team. "She never gave up," Coach Cleghorn said.

## Women Roadsters Win It All

The accomplishments of the women's track team this year speak for themselves. The women burned up the track winning the New England Class B Prep School Championship, while setting eight school records, two Huggins track and field records, and one interscholastic record.

"It was the best season in the history of the school in all aspects," said coach Mary Ellen Letvinchuk.

With such an outstanding team, it was difficult for the coaches to pick the MVP, but Kathie Lambert was awarded the honor because "she demonstrates all the qualities that you want in an MVP. She's never pleased unless she has done her best."

Kelly Golden was presented with the Gilbert Distinctive Running Award for women, thus ending an 18-year tradition. Golden became the first freshman ever to qualify for the special award. Her qualifications were impeccable as she set a meet record in the 800 meter run and compiled personal bests in the 1500 and 3000 meter runs.

In all, the GDA women's track team collected 27 personal bests on the year. What is even more encouraging is that the team is young and could be even stronger next year.



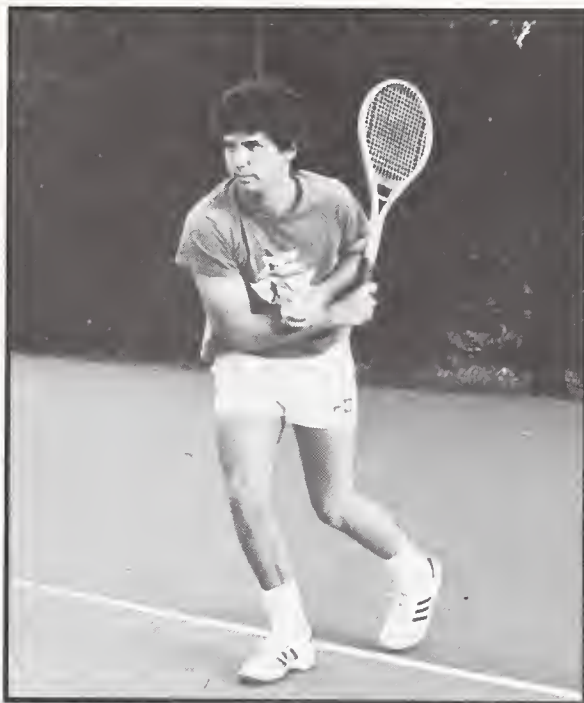
Cathy Riley '84 wins relay



## Tennis Wins Top Honors

Senior Steve Nicholson, undeniably a team player, could not help stealing the show throughout the men's varsity tennis team's season. The Hampton Falls, NH native ripped through his opponents, scoring an incredible 10-1-1 match record, while posting a 21-3 mark in sets. He placed third in the New England Division I Invitational meet. Steve was named the team MVP and not surprisingly was selected as All-League.

Coach Wally Rowe said of Steve: "He is the best player with the best temperament that I have ever coached, or probably ever will coach." His leadership on the court aided GDA in a season that saw the inclement weather slow down the development of a young, talented team.



MVP Steve Nicholson



Anthony Fusco '85 throws a strike.

## Baseballers Slug Way through Season

If not successful in the win/loss column, Mike Moonves' varsity baseball squad proved to be a fun team with a lot of heart and determination.

Moonves presented a special award to pitcher/infielder Chris Nesbit, a senior who truly worked his way through the rank-and-file to become a varsity player. "It proves that if you stick with something long enough, it will yield success," said the coach. Certainly, these are the life lessons that sports are all about.

Another special award went to utility man Jeff Knight. The senior was always ready to help the team any

place there was a need. He was often seen coaching third base, and was selected as the league's best third base coach by other ISL coaches.

The MVP trophy was presented to All-League honorable mention catcher and co-captain Harry Taormina. "He is one of the rare breed that is a talented hitter, and combines leadership, sportsmanship, and great defensive skills in one package," said Coach Moonves.

The annual senior trophy, presented to the senior who has contributed the most to baseball at GDA over four years was presented to four-letter-winner co-captain Kevin Cryts, who was also named to the All-League second team.

## Trackmen Dig Out a Winning Year

Under veteran track coach Ed Rybicki the men's team, deep in determination and hard work, fought their way to a 4-3 winning record. "On paper we should have lost some of our meets, but we always went out and gave 100 percent," Rybicki said.

A special award was presented to Aaron Halpern, an outstanding pole vaulter who not only captured a second place in the New England Invitational, but also coached the younger, inexperienced vaulters throughout the season.

The MVP selection was not a difficult one. Senior Andre LaFleur walked away with the award, scoring 20 percent of the dual meet points over the season. LaFleur brought recognition to GDA's outstanding athletic program when he won three events (high jump, triple jump, and long jump) at the New England Invitational, a feat which had never been done before.

Senior Greg Skaff was given the Gilbert Distinctive Running Award for displaying courage, determination, and perseverance in running distance for more than one season.

## Golf Team Has Fine Season

The GDA golf team drove through another successful season this year. At the ISL Team Tournament the team placed a respectable third out of nine teams. The team was edged out for first place at the annual Witherspoon Cup competition even though junior Steve Glazer shot a 75 low round to place as the second low medalist.

Senior Dan McLaughlin was awarded the team MVP trophy.

## Women's Lacrosse Has Rough Year

The women's varsity lacrosse team hustled to five victories and a tie through their 14-game season.

The Most Valuable Player Award was presented to Becca Lapham, a senior who could be found in any position on the lacrosse field, with the exception of goaltender. She was selected by the ISL as an All-League player.

Sophomore Anna Hill had an outstanding spring and was named to the All-League second team. Senior tri-captain Hope Williams was also named to the All-League reserve team.



## Arts Draw Hugh Crowds at Performances

"You've Gotta Have Arts" is a current slogan on a Boston television station; it is certainly true at GDA. Just look at the list of concerts, plays, recitals, and performances during the last year:

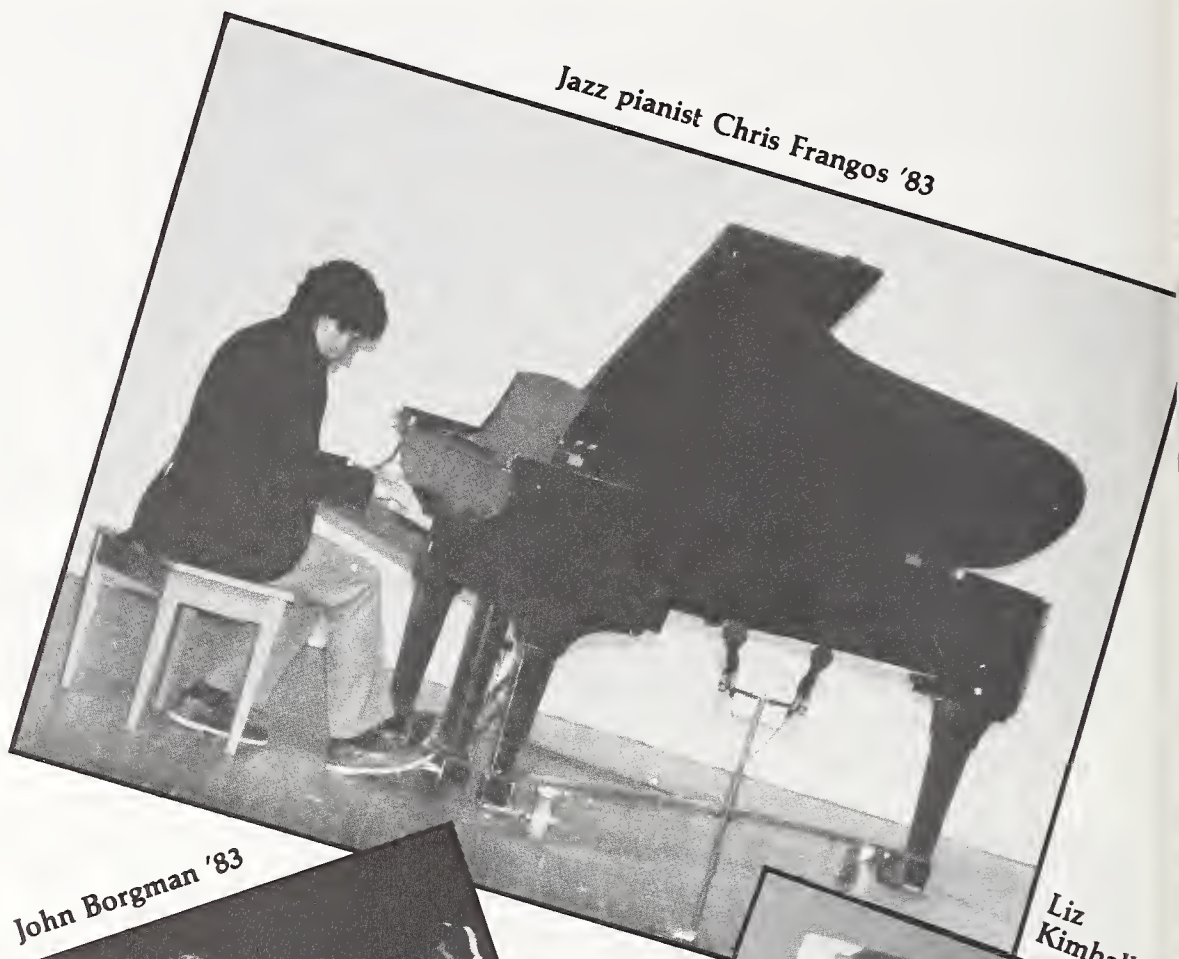
- several exhibits in painting, drawing, sculpture, and photography, featuring local artists and students
- three major student drama productions
- several professional drama productions
- several dance recitals — student and professional
- many music concerts featuring individual and group performances in instrumental and voice

The spring drama production was George Orwell's *1984* which played for three nights to near capacity audiences.

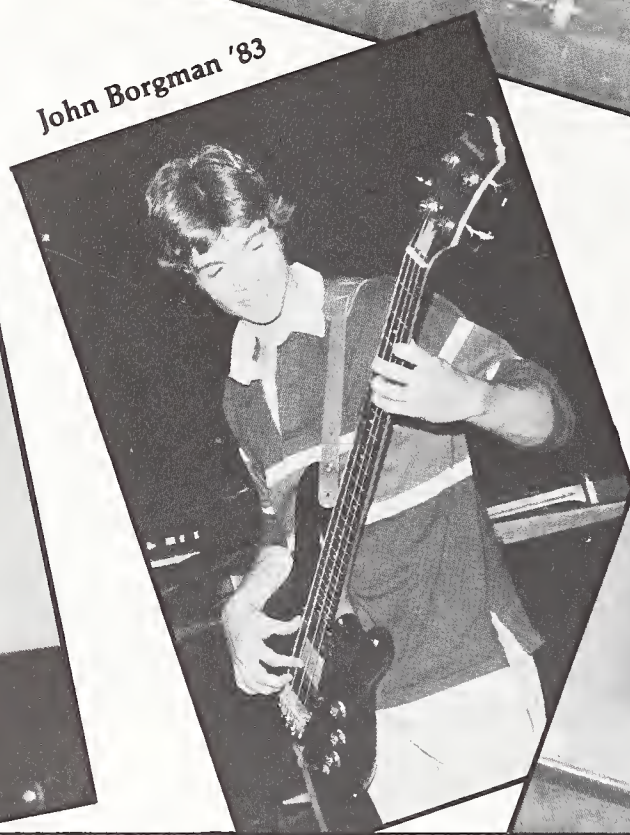
Talented musicians Chris Frangos (piano) and John Borgman (guitar and voice) gave a two-hour recital concluding their senior spring term project which was followed the next night by a full music department concert involving more than fifty students.

Alumni, parents and friends are always invited to any performance and witness the excitement of a growing, exciting and enthusiastic arts program.

Jazz pianist Chris Frangos '83



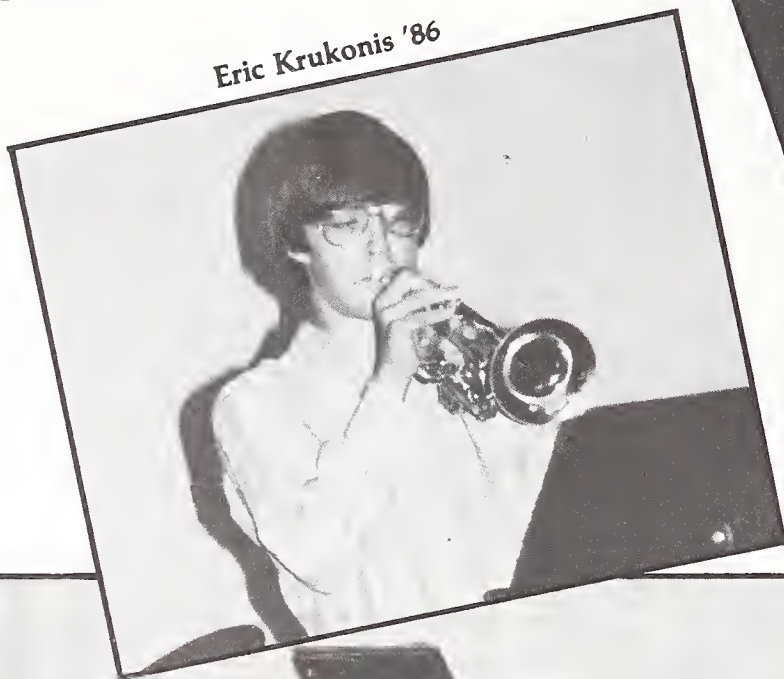
John Borgman '83



Liz Kimball '84



Eric Krukonis '86



Senior Improvisation Group



## In Memoriam

Bennett Goodspeed — Class of 1956. Ben, 45, died at his home in Greenwich, CT on June 23, 1983. He is survived by his wife, Mary, and four children — Bennett, Jr., Jonathan, Mary Todd and Emily.

## "Old Guard" 1930 and earlier

John English '28, Class Agent and Secretary  
Woodsneck Road, Box 322  
East Orleans, MA 02643

## '03

SARAH BURNS GOWDEY, presumably our oldest living alumnus/alumna, celebrated her 98th birthday last spring and was awarded one of the Boston Post Canes as the oldest resident of Newbury. Mrs. Gowdey is in the second generation of the Burns family, which has now been represented in three generations at Governor Dummer. Her mother was MARY ELIZABETH FERGUSON BURNS. The second generation, in addition to Mrs. Gowdey, were MARTIN H. BURNS '16 of Newbury and the late MARY ELLEN BURNS and KATHERINE BURNS NOLAN. The third generation comprises MARTIN C. GOWDEY '32 of Hadley, Mass., son of Sarah Burns Gowdey; and JOHN F. BURNS '52 of Ridgewood, N.J., son of Martin H. Burns '16.

## '15

JOHN SKEELE has been living for the last ten years in a retirement community in Chester County, PA; near both Longwood Gardens and Wintertur. He and Mrs. Skeelee love the area; but they can no longer get to New England, and it is 20 years since they have attended an alumni day at the Academy.

## '19

In his fifth year on Connecticut Public Radio, GEORGE MALCOLM-SMITH is broadcasting a revival of his Gems of American Jazz, which was a feature of WTIC, Hartford, during the Forties. A number of transmitters of National Public Radio relay the series.

## '22

DR. STORER P. HUMPHREYS of Newbury attended the dinner/tribute to retiring Headmaster Jack Ragle at the Academy last June and found himself to be the oldest alumnus present — a distinction which he wore with equanimity.

*Editor's Note: We are now underway with our class secretary program. Send your notes directly to the secretary for the next issue (publication deadline September 2nd) or if there is no secretary, to The Alumni Office, GDA.*



John Chandler '29, John English '28, and Karl Gove '28

## '23

Until Dr. Humphreys appeared for the Saturday evening dinner, JAMES B. GARDINER had been spotlighted as the oldest alumnus present at the alumni meeting, but he was the only member of his class present and so celebrated his 60th with younger (slightly) schoolmates. Jim drove up from his New York apartment in his white Cadillac of 1950's vintage with the big tail fins, which caused some stir among the student body. Jim has two accomplished children: a daughter, with a B.A. from Bryn Mawr and a Ph.D. from Princeton, teaches classics at the University of Iowa; a son, with a B.A. from the University of Alaska and an M.A. from Johns Hopkins, is now at Texas A & M.

PAUL F. THOMAS, who lives in East Wenatchee, Washington, came east for his reunion at Brown, but unfortunately it conflicted directly with the Governor Dummer reunions. Paul, like his classmate Jim Gardiner, is in excellent health, plays golf every Wednesday and Saturday, hunts duck, geese and some pheasant in season and several times a year organizes a group to go salmon fishing off the coast of British Columbia. Two years ago he caught a 50-pounder. Last year his best was 33½ pounds. This year he is going for 60! Meanwhile, Paul's oldest and youngest sons now own and operate the family fresh-fruit shipping business, sending apples, pears and cherries throughout the United States and Canada and into many foreign countries. The middle son operates a cannery under his own name (same as Paul's) which ships sugar-free products nationally from Bellevue, Washington.

## '24

WILLIAM T. CARPENTER is living the retired life in Swampscott and enjoying what he described as "a swarm" of grandchildren, numbering seven. One just

graduated from Denison, another grandson is in Bucknell and a granddaughter is attending Lehigh.

Additionally, DR. PAUL A. JONES has "finally retired" in Union, Maine.

## '25

J. ELLISON MORSE, although retired as president of The Morse Blacking Co., manufacturers of leather finishes, continues to live in Danvers, where he was also a selectman for 24 years. Elly has three sons and seven grandchildren.

## '26

HAROLD A. SLATER, living in Baltimore, MD., is battling emphysema and some other ailments with the support of his wife of 49 years. Prior to his retirement, Hal spent many years with the Koppers Co. metal products division in charge of electronic-control machine tools. "Each machine," he says, "has roughly ten thousand transistors and other controls; and when any one of them goes on the blink, peculiar things happen with the machine. It was my job to isolate the one bad component out of the ten thousand when it wasn't obvious to the men on the job."

RALPH SLEEPER is deep this summer in the excitement of the America Cup races off Newport, RI, where he now lives, coping with the tourists and also with emphysema and enjoying life in spite of all that. "I often think of the school, where I was born in the old farmhouse, and the golf course, where I worked and played," he reminisces.

## '27

EDMUND F. WOODWARD of Westbrook, Maine, and LAWRENCE W. SAWYER of Kennebunk, Maine, got together last spring and discovered that both had problems: Soot is getting around only with the aid of a crutch. Ed was facing up to a hospital visit for the installation of a pacemaker.



## '28

Jean and **KARL GOVE** put on a beautiful lobster dinner, with Nova Scotia steamers, at their home in Seabrook, New Hampshire, on Friday evening for all the members of the class who turned up for our 55th reunion last June . . . and then both of us went on to the campus on Saturday for the general alumni activities and the Jack Ragle dinner.

"Among those unable to attend with us was **THOMAS P. JONES, JR.**, who is confined pretty much to his home in Kennebunkport, Maine, with the health problems which brought about his forced retirement."

Newly wed **PETER ALBIANI** is entering his 76th year in September and finding total enjoyment in retirement and married life on Cape Cod. He now spends his recreational hours fishing, woodworking and gardening. Pete, who lost his only son in Viet Nam, has a daughter and three grandchildren in Florida.

## '29

State Senator **JOHN P. H. CHANDLER** of the Warner, N.H., Chandlers, stole a day from state affairs to return to Byfield for alumni day last June "and enjoyed it very much even though I was the only 1929 member there." Cow is in his 24th year of almost continuous service in New Hampshire state government — six years on the Governor's Council, six in the House and now six in the Senate. He also served three years on the Concord Board of Aldermen and was three times acting mayor. At the moment, he is on the Senate Finance Committee, which has to pass on all spending bills as well as four budget bills.

Linda Watson, daughter of **WHITE C. WATSON, JR.**, sends along the sad, delayed word that Arky died five years ago.

**WALTER WHITEHEAD, JR.**, who lives on Fairway Drive in West Newton, can now play golf every day because he has retired after 50 years with Paine Furniture Co. in Boston.

## '30

**EDUARDO R. ALMEYDA** is still going strong in the business world, travelling incessantly from his home in Miami, Fla., to both South America and Europe.

**ARTHUR A. FULLER** lives on High Road, Newbury, and always welcomes classmates and schoolmates when they are in the neighborhood. **GRAY ADAMS** and **LAWRENCE BROWN**, both living in Rowley, are two he sees most frequently.

## '31

Col. **Carl Buechner**, Class Agent  
1053 South Lakemont Circle  
Winter Park, FL 32792

Volunteer needed for class secretary

## '32

**Stanley Levin**, Class Agent  
42 South Ridge Drive  
Waterbury, CT 06708  
**Terry Staples**, Class Secretary  
Malden-on-Hudson, NY 12453

**BILL BUECHNER** from Alexandria, VA writes he is still working full time but is thinking of retiring — perhaps in 1984 — and then Bill writes, "we may be able to travel a bit and include a visit to GDA."

**TERRY STAPLES** and Helen have recently returned from a trip to Denver visiting their oldest son and family, to Seattle visiting Helen's sister, and concluding with a tour of the Canadian Rockies.

## '33

**Harry Churchill**  
Class Agent  
107 Boston Road  
Chelmsford, MA 01824

Volunteer needed for class secretary

**DANA DOUGLASS** — "Thought I'd start on semi-retirement last July, but old clients keep calling so I'm still involved in land surveying and boundary disputes. At the end of July, I was operated on for throat polyps which were found to be malignant so went through seven weeks of successful radiology — June 3 is my check-up date. Then the 1st, 2nd, 4th, and 6th are scheduled for conferences and site reviews in a sizable boundary problem, so you know where I'll be. Sorry not to be there but I'm sure the occasion will be most successful."

## '34

**Richard Segler**, Class Agent  
17 Arlington Street  
Portland, ME 04101  
**Seth Baker**, Class Secretary  
30 Nicholson Drive  
Chatham, NJ 07948

**SETH BAKER** — The only thing the boys of '34 have not done is stop. They are nothing if not peripatetic. If I may take the liberty as "Class Secretary," I feel compelled to paraphrase a well-known beer commercial, "Gee, these guys are having a good time out there," and yet another brokerage house type, "They earned it!"

**GEORGE CALL** — "Semi-retired!"

**RAYMOND H. DUNN** retired some six years ago only to cover 232,000 miles of U.S. and Canada, not to mention trips to Scotland and Sweden. Ray owns up to two boys, twin girls and six grandchildren. When not driving the continent, he is at home in Greenfield, MA presiding over the local chapter of the Elks. He has been widowed 17 years.

**HARMON A. HALL** — Winchester, MA does not admit to covering so much geographical area as his "mate," but does admit to escaping to "Austrian Alps annually to ski." A Harvard graduate, he married Janet E. MacKay, the issue thereof

four daughters. Put his time in with Uncle Sam's Navy '41-'46. He then salvaged family industrial real estate business. Harmon states he is "now trying to escape salvaged family business." Harmon's epistle ends on a philosophical note, "So this is where 50 years went! There is so much that didn't get done. . ."

**HOWARD PECK** has taken his Airstream to most of U.S., Canada, Newfoundland, Labrador, Mexico, Central America and in process done in an Olds 98 and Chevy Suburban. Howard believes he has settled down in the Berkshires on the New York border, Copake. However, having done Italy last year, notes Scandinavia is next. Most permanent abode for Pecks is Palm Bay, Florida. It seems that, as Howard says, "the trailer is headquarters." Further salient facts established four grandchildren, but not number of progeny it took to produce same!

**RICHARD SPRAGUE** now suspected of being a member of the Chamber of Commerce of Hancock, NH declares this village to be "New Hampshire's most charming village." Dick is given to a more quiet and earlier form of transportation. He travels about 2,500 miles about the East each year on bicycle. That not being sufficient exercise, Dick cross country skis, plays tennis, golf, squash. Does some writing, collects Revolutionary arms and notes "I still recognize a pretty face and usually grasp most jokes."

**PERRY REYNOLDS** of Oswego, NY is likely to be just returning from a European trip when this sees print, which followed his 45th reunion at Cornell. Perry notes four children, three girls, one boy, and seven grandchildren. He also fathered two businesses: Reynolds Textiles, Inc., and Kyser Enterprises, Inc. Golf, sailing, tennis, fishing keep him otherwise engaged, "active and busy and in good health." Perry concludes, "see Gerry Dietz once in a while."

## '35

**Russell Brewer**, Class Secretary  
77 Sherman Avenue  
Glen Ridge, NJ 07028  
Volunteer needed for class agent

*As I write this introduction, replies are coming in to my request for an up to date on each one of you in "drips and drabs." Please don't feel you have to get it to me by a certain date. There is an issue of the Archon every three months so we will all get to read about you eventually! Just keep them coming and thanks for those I've already received!*

**HENRY PETRI** — "Retired from the automobile business in 1981. Wife Avalo an accomplished portrait painter — Just celebrated our 40th anniversary — Two married daughters and (at this writing!) three grandchildren — Besides major home projects, garden work and furniture overhauling, I find time to do consulting work!"



**JOHNNY BEMBEN** — "Retired from Friendly Ice Cream Corp. in 1976 as Vice President of Production and Board member. Active in church and financial advisor for retirement funds."

**MORRIS FROST** — "Jane and I bought a small house on the Wye River on the Eastern shore of Maryland upon my recent retirement, where I enjoy the use of a 20-foot steamboat(?). In the summer we go to Castine, Maine, until October."

**DON LAWRENCE** — "After 31 years of service, I sold the family business (100 years old). Ellen and I enjoy retirement living six months in Maine and six months in Florida. Looking forward to our 50th!"

**DAN HANLEY** — "Am now a part-time visiting professor in the Dept. of Community and Family Medicine at Dartmouth. I have four children; three with M.D.'s, and one with advanced degrees in economics and public health."

**WELLS BATES** — "Still with my first wife (of 43 years), and we are blessed with four children and six grandchildren. Retired December 31, 1978 from C. J. Bates & Son after having sold the family business which was 110 years old. We now split our years between Madison, Conn., and Naples, Florida. I am a Dartmouth grad and Betty is a Skidmore grad."

**FRED MOWATT** — "After 31 years in Washington, DC area, I am now a resident of New Hampshire. I retired as Assistant Vice President FNMA (Federal National Mortgage Association) in May, 1981 after 10 years in that organization. I retired from FHA (HUD) in 1973 after 20 years in various positions mostly involving legal and legislative work. My wife, Ruth, and I are now dividing our time between Wolfeboro, NH and Sarasota, Florida during winter months."

**OLIVER ANDREWS** is teaching at Connecticut College and is head of the Department of Romance and Classical Languages.



Tom Nathan '36

'36

**Thomas Nathan**, Class Agent  
807 Kimballwood Lane  
Highland Park, IL 60035

Volunteer needed for class secretary

**RUPE NEILY**, president of Mainco Realty, East Boothbay, ME, was recently elected president of the Lincoln County Board of Realtors. An aggressive promoter for Maine, his firm specializes in business opportunities and investment offerings. He and his wife, Biz, have five children.

'37

**Putnam Flint**, Class Agent  
34 North Avenue  
Weston, MA 02193

Volunteer needed for class secretary.

**ED DONNELLY** — "Kindest regards to all, Have not retired yet, but slowing down fast."

**WALTER DUNLAP** — retired from Mass. Welfare Dept. January '82 and is 'having a ball puttering around house and gardening on my own time schedule."

**GEORGE FULLER** is retired. "We spend our winters in the Bahamas on our boat — cruising, and summers traveling."

**JOHN HOLLINGSWORTH** writes from his home in Mexico telling us he has established his own livestock consulting service following several years in Europe and South America. He says, "After a while of living in foreign lands, you are independent and equally at home really anywhere and with those with whom you work." He writes, "I'm taking computer training, always introducing new ideas into time-honored procedures. It is the ideas that are needed."

**DONALD KIRKPATRICK** is retiring from Casco Bank & Trust Co. in July 1983, but will continue on part-time consulting basis. He has a son, Brad (in Portland with family — wife & two children), and daughter, Marjorie (married, one child, living in West Newton, MA).

**P. WOODBURY SMITH** writes: "Working to make money to make donations."

**ARTHUR STRENGE** is an assistant shipper for Contromatics Corp. (a division of Litton Industries) of East Hartford, CT. He has one daughter, two grandsons and one granddaughter.



Fran Hearn '36

'38

**Dr. Harold Audet**, Class Agent  
2212 Grove Avenue  
Richmond, VA 23220

Volunteer needed for class secretary

**NORMAN FOX** retired last month after twenty-one years of teaching.

'39

**F. Harrison Poole**, Class Agent  
860 U. N. Plaza, #23E  
New York, NY 10017

**John H. Dyer**, Class Secretary  
24 Oakland Street  
Lexington, MA 02173

**THOMAS PARKER** — "Semi-retired, playing PGA senior golf. Renovating home in Northfield, Mass. for summers. 1982 — cataract surgery — both eyes — 20/20 vision with extended-wear contacts. Moving from Coral Gables to Sarasota later this year. Nice meeting J. Gray Emmons '37 last month. Good seeing John Keller '57 and his family again this year. Missed seeing Bots Young '45 at The Key Biscayne!"

'40

**Dana Babcock**, Class Agent  
Box 304  
Essex, NY 12936

**Leigh Clark**, Class Secretary  
72 Corning Street  
Beverly, MA 01915

*Thank you! A 45% response to my request for class news! I am pleased to share with you the interesting news sent along to me, some of which has been condensed.*

**DANA BABCOCK**, retired, lives with his wife in Essex on Lake Champlain. Their four children are scattered all over the country.

**ACE BAILEY** is still practicing law at Powers & Hall in Boston. 37 years of marriage has produced three grandchildren, two dogs and a "lousy golf game."

**HAMILTON BATES** left Dartmouth after three and a half years to join Dartmouth squadron in Army Air Corps (1943-45). He and his wife Martha were married in 1945; have two daughters Jeanne and Connie and a son Dick (GDA '72). Ran C. J. Bates & Son in Chester, CT with his brother Wells (GDA '35) for 36 years. Retired December 1980. Main hobby is boating. They spend their winters in Naples, FL fishing and golfing.

**JIM DODGE** and his wife live in Toronto where Jim owns and operates an investment counseling business. Jim, father of seven and grandfather of three, also keeps busy doing a little oil painting.

**KING DOWSE**, Colgate University graduate, makes his home with his mother. He is a 50 year member of Christ Episcopal Church in Joliet and also is a volunteer in the library in that community.

**GENE GARDNER** who lives in New York City is presently Communications



Director, World Banking Group, Chemical Bank. Following Infantry Service in World War II he was associated with State Department Voice of America, General Electric and Communications Director, Mitchell & Company.

**BOB GOODSPEED** and his wife live in North Hampton, NH and are the parents of four sons, three of whom have their masters' degrees. Bob graduated from Harvard after spending three years in the Air Force and is Vice President and one of the owners of A. C. Lawrence Leather Company, Inc.

**AL HUTCHINSON** graduated from the University of Maine after three years in the service and worked as Advertising Manager on a newspaper for 18 years. Since earning his masters degree he has taught school in Danvers, MA for 15 years. Al and his wife have four children.

**WARNER KENT** lives in Pleasantville, NY and is retired from the building business in which he was active for 30 years. He writes that Governor Dummer "was the best and finest school of all the ones I attended."

**KARL KLAUSSEN** went to work for the consulting firm Arthur D. Little, Inc. after graduating from Harvard Business School and has been a Vice President of the company for the past 15 years. His apartment in the Charlestown Navy Yard overlooks his 25' Mako in the new marina. On weekends he can travel by boat to his home in New Castle, NH.

**BOB LITTLE** writes that W.W.II left him in California and that he graduated from the University of California. Bob and his wife have two children, their daughter and her husband are California tomato growers; their son is at the University majoring in Business Administration. Bob and his wife work their own medicinal herb farm near Vacaville, where they live.

**WILLARD LITTLE** of Houston travels extensively throughout the world as Manager Heat Office Sales for Shell Oil, responsible for sales to Aviation/Shipping industries. He has four children and five grandchildren.

**CHARLIE McDOWELL** lives with his wife in Alexandria, VA and is presently a "country lawyer." He graduated from Dartmouth after three years in the Army during World War II, and also from the University of Virginia Law School. Following a short time with Shell Oil Company in Texas he entered the Navy as a lawyer and became Judge Advocate General in 1978 and retired with the rank of Rear Admiral in 1980.

**TED McDOWELL**, Dean, School of Applied Arts and Sciences, Post College, Waterbury, lives with his wife in New Haven, CT. After Infantry service in World War II he earned B.A. and M.A.T. degrees from Yale and in 1968 his Ph.D. from the University of Connecticut. Ted and his wife Phyllis, (Arthur Murray's daughter) have four daughters. It is interesting to note that Pierce Hall was named after Ted's grandfather, John Pierce.

**JOHN NISSEN** still operates the John J. Nissen Baking Company, whose general offices are in Falmouth Foreside, ME. His son operates the Worcester, MA plant.

**NORM QUINT** graduated from Hampden College of Pharmacy after serving for five years in the U. S. Navy as an engineer officer. He owns and operates Quint's Drug Store in Ipswich, MA where he makes his home and is active in community affairs.

**BOB SCHUMANN** of Binghamton, NY is retired but has a principal interest in a Florida radio station and a sand and gravel company in Binghamton. Bob and his wife have a daughter and two sons, Ford '66 and David '74. He recently saw Val Wilkie and Bob Lyle in San Francisco.

**ED SHEFFIELD** and Dottie live in the Chestnut Hill suburb of Philadelphia. They have two sons; Win, the oldest, is a banker in NYC and David, married, is an engineer. They have a niece, Marie, attending GDA. Ed works as treasurer and business manager of a retirement complex near Philadelphia.

**DAVE SOLOMON** graduated from Brown, Harvard Medical School and became an internist, an endocrinologist and is now a geriatrician. He has taught at UCLA Medical School for 31 years. He and his wife live in Santa Monica, CA and have two daughters. Dave keeps trying to run an 8-minute mile and serve a 90 mph tennis ball! Good luck, Dave!

**DAVE STRATER** is senior partner of the firm Strater, Hancock & Erwin, Attorneys at Law, York, Maine. He and his wife have three sons, all graduates of Governor Dummer and two daughters who "would have been if Governor Dummer had been co-ed when they attended prep school." Dave was a former Municipal Court judge and County Attorney. He currently takes a couple of months off to sail his boat down to the Virgin Islands and points south.

**LARRY VAN DOREN** graduated from Williams College and was in the advertising business for 33 years, about half of which time was with American Bankers Association. Now retired, he lives with his wife in South Orange, NJ. They are the parents of three children: one blacksmith, one language student, one chemical physicist. He reports he is now in good shape again after open-heart surgery in 1981.

**DAP WILL** retired after 33 years with General Electric in the financial field. He was a member of the U. S. Curling Team tour of Scotland in 1982 which won the Herries-Maxwell Trophy (U.S. vs. Scotland) for the first time in 30 years. In May of this year he was off to Scotland, Wales and England.

**BEN WRIGHT** served in the Philippines in WW II, graduated from Harvard and from Boston University Law School and is recently Senior Vice President, The Badger Company, Inc. He retired from Active Army Reserve in 1965 as Lieutenant Colonel. Ben, who makes his home in Belmont, MA with his wife, was President, U.S. Figure Skating Association, 1973-1976, and is a Member, Technical Committee, Inter-

national Skating Union. This is an interest he shares with his wife, who is a World Championship Judge (figure skating) and National/North American Champion (figure skating fours).

**SANDY YOUNG** has been in the oil business all of his career, first with Mobil and Exxon and then starting his own oil company and tanker operation in 1972. The oil business has carried him all over the world many, many times. Sandy and his wife live in New Canaan, CT and are the parents of three children. He has been very active in church and community affairs over the years, and would be interested to be involved in a 45th reunion. His level of golf, seven handicap, takes him to Pro-Am tournaments in Scotland and other places each year.

*Keep the cards and letters coming, folks. Let's hear now from the other 55% of the class!*

## '41

David Goodhart, Class Agent  
36 Jackson Road  
Wellesley Hills, MA 02181

Volunteer needed for class secretary

**F. ELLSWORTH MILLER** works for Towle Silver in Newburyport, MA.

**GEORGE SIGANOS** works for Orange and Rockland Utilities, Pearl River, NY, as a project engineer involved with technical improvements of power plants, environmental impact, economic justifications.

**NORMAN C. TRONERUD** teaches art at Marblehead, MA High School and has exhibited at GDA!

**RICHARD M. WYMAN** is "playing lots of tennis in Florida."

## '42

Dr. William Hill, Class Agent  
55 Sherman Street  
Naugatuck, CT 06770

Volunteer needed for class secretary

## '43

Timothy Pouch  
Class Agent  
5 West Entry Road  
Staten Island  
New York, NY 10304  
Walter L. McGill, Class Secretary  
62 Gulliver Circle  
R.F.D. 4  
Norwich, CT 06360

**WIDGERY THOMAS, JR.** reports the merger and acquisition of consulting business has started to click with two deals completed in May and two others under purchase and sale agreement. Jonnie, his wife, has started nursing career at age 50 and is now an R.N. at Maine Medical Center while pursuing her BS in Nursing from Westbrook College, Class of '84. To top it off, Widge is running in marathons.

**RICHARD URIE** tells us he married Marion I. Cashman in 1946. They have four daughters, Karen Urie, Sandra Urie Thorpe, Susan Urie Donahue, Beth Urie



Driscoll and two grandchildren — Katherine Thorpe (one year) and William Driscoll (eight months). Dick graduated from Boston College Law School in 1952; is president and treasurer of Caramel, Inc., a manufacturer of women's sportswear. He is also a partner with his wife in R/M Associates, a sales management and consulting firm specializing in garment industry (women's) creation and management of sales forces for small garment manufacturers.

## '44

**Edmund Tarbell, Class Agent**  
Shore Lane  
Box 184  
New Castle, NH 03854

**Volunteer needed for class secretary**

## '45

**Donald Palais, Class Agent**  
26 Cranfield Street  
Box 326  
New Castle, NH 03854  
**Richard A. Cousins, Class Secretary**  
71 Federal Street  
Newburyport, MA 01950

**ROBERT GILES** is teaching history at Blinn College, Brenham, Texas.

**ARCHIBALD KINGSLEY** writes — "I have six children — 29 thru 1 — actually 29, 27, 12, 10, 3 and 1. However, I must admit, three different teams. My best to Art Sager and Buster Navins. Again, my thanks to Don Palais for this wonderful work; he puts in a great deal of time! Also, I just became a grandfather."

## '46

**Douglas Miller, Class Agent**  
7 Elm Street  
Byfield, MA 01922  
**George E. Duffy, II, Class Secretary**  
Box 846  
Camden, ME 04843

**TED MIXER** — "A new grandfather and a new daughter-in-law kept things humming so far this year. Give my best affection to the 'Old Guard.' See you in '86."

## '47

**Henry Dunker, Class Agent**  
94 Clinton Road  
E. Weymouth, MA 02189  
**Frederick F. Ladd, Jr., Deputy Class Secretary**  
2 Fairview Avenue  
Newbury, MA 01950  
**Mrs. James (Betty) Knott, Class Secretary**  
28 River Street  
South Natick, MA 01760

**DANA MAYO** — "I am preparing to go to the Peoples' Republic of China to teach a course in Infrared. We have been invited by the Chinese Chemical Society, and the course will be taught at East Normal University in Shanghai. I enjoyed lecturing to Doug Miller's ('46) classes the past few years while my son Chapman ('82) was at the Academy."

**HUBERT SNOW** joined the Winthrop Savings Bank, Winthrop, MA, in January '83. He is an assistant vice president and mortgage officer and has been setting up the Mortgage Department to sell mortgages in the secondary mortgage market.

## '48

**E. Ashley Eames, II, Class Secretary**  
c/o Governor Dummer Academy  
Byfield, MA 01922

**Volunteer needed for class agent**

**CHARLES BENSON** is still in retailing — manager of a large department store in Elmira, NY area. Bought an authentic 1890 restored ice cream parlor in Corning, NY which wife Joan takes care of. Daughter Lee Ann getting masters' degree in microbiology at Texas A&M. Son Bob in computers in NYC.

**JARVIS LAMBERT** — "Have three daughters and twin sons and two grandchildren. Still working at Brown Shoe Co., still play tennis three times a week, still have same wife of 26 years. Have built and opened an indoor soccer facility here in St. Louis (the indoor soccer capital of the U.S.)."



Phil Gemmer '48

## '49

**Thomas Otis, Class Agent**  
Pine Street  
Dover, MA 02030  
**Capt. Thomas Emery, Co-class Secretary**  
HAVC/Training Center  
Great Lakes, IL 60088  
**Manson P. Hall, Co-class Secretary**  
49 Elm Street  
Wellesley, MA 02181

After a shorter than expected stay in Newport, RI, **TOM EMERY** has been reassigned and appointed Commander of the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, IL.

## '50

**David Yesair, Co-class Agent**  
6 Johnson Lane  
Byfield, MA 01922  
**Timothy Greene, Co-class Agent**  
20 Thoroughbred Drive  
Sherborn, MA 01770  
**J. Richard Fischer, Class Secretary**  
68 Meadowbrook Road  
Needham, MA 02192

*Although the quantity of responses to my initial efforts as Class Secretary has not been outstanding, the quality, as you shall see, is spectacular! Letters and notes arrived from the shores of Hawaii to deep in the woods of Maine. Hopefully the following will encourage the shy ones to take pen in hand.*

**CARL GLASER** writes from Bremerton, Washington that you all are welcome to the Super 8 Motel at Sea-Tax Airport just south of Seattle, where he is now the manager. He and Mary Jane have three grandchildren. One daughter attends Seattle University and another is completing first-year law school at American University in Washington, D.C. Carl is playing tennis and enjoying the fruits of his newly constructed greenhouse. He is president of an association "Friends of the Deaf" and a licensed lay reader in the Episcopal Church.

**ALAN FLYNN** has returned from three months in Japan visiting old friends, historical sites and catching up with changes in the Japanese society. This was Al's sixth visit to Japan, the most relaxing and a culture shock of sorts to return to Rhode Island. Alan III is a budding athlete at St. Mark's and daughter Sarah, not far behind, trying to decide between Groton, St. Mark's and St. Paul's for the tenth grade next year.

**STEPHEN JAMES MADDOCK** is living in Wayland, MA and working for the National Park Service. He and Margo have three children, a son having graduated from Dartmouth, a daughter at Brown and a daughter headed for either Middlebury or Dartmouth.

**HOPPY DAMON** has moved from the toy business in Newburyport to the oil service business in Hawaii, with sidelines in crafts, toys, clocks, woodcarvings, etc. Hoppy is on the island of Haiku.

For those of you in need of capital, **PETER "THE KID" GAVIAN** is the President of Corporate Finance, Inc. in Washington, D.C., a small business investment banking firm. He is also a Director of First Variable Rate Fund, Inc., Washington's leading money market fund and the past president of the Washington Society of Investment Analysts. Peter and his wife Kathleen have three daughters: Sarah, having graduated Phi Beta Kappa from Cornell is in the Peace Corps in Togo; Deborah is at Berkeley; and Margaret is a student living at home. Pete races his sailboat — a 28 foot Ranger — properly named Liquidity and is a volunteer coach for a US Naval Academy sailing team.

Last Fall **TIM GREENE** joined the Old Stone Bank in Providence, Rhode Island as Vice President in charge of leasing. Tim commutes from Sherborn, Mass. Debbie works for Friend Management in Newton, owned by Rick Friend (GDA '59). As you all know, Tim and Dave Yesair are the glue that keeps the Class of 1950 together and we all appreciate their efforts.



**RICK GREENWOOD** after twenty-six years in the family furniture business finally is doing what we all knew he would some day, turned his hobby into a business; locks, keys and security systems. Son and daughter both graduated from Brooks; Rick now attending Colby and Jennifer at College of Wooster. Rick's wife Jean is an LD specialist in the Ashburnham school system, and the family divides its time between houses in Gardner and Plymouth, MA.

**PETER BROOKE SMITH** writes from Mt. Laurel, New Jersey, where he is mid-Atlantic Regional Manager for Kinney System, Inc. Daughter Jane graduated Cum Laude from the University of Penn in 1982; son Thomas is a freshman at Rutgers, and Holly is a freshman in high school. Peter relates they spent a fall weekend with Debbie and Tim Greene and Diane and **BOB CUSHMAN** celebrating fiftieth birthdays.

A reply from **DICK PATTON** in California brings the following news: Married to Lynda twelve years ago and have an eight-year-old third-grade son, Robert, an avid skier. Dick is President and CEO of National Mortgage Investors, Inc. and also involved in the restaurant business "and have one of the best places to dine in Santa Monica, called Chronicle." The family skis in the winter and last summer sailed the rivers of Southern France on a bare boat charter. Also visited with Susan and **GORDON PRICE '49** recently.

**CLIF GEORGE** writes a long letter from Tea Pond Camps — "Log Cabins among the birches on secluded Tea Pond" — Eustis, Maine. In 1976 Clif paddled the coast of Maine in a canoe for 97 days. "The greatest experience of my life." Clif's previous business endeavors include insurance sales, commercial lobstering, clam-bake catering and ownership of a tennis and racquetball club. Clif and Ginny were married a year ago and would love to see any camping enthusiasts.

**DICK FISCHER** is an insurance consultant for The Wyatt Company in Wellesley, MA. "Nancy and I spend as much time as possible either on the tennis court or on our Pearson Ariel in Westport Point, MA. Son, David graduated from Middlebury in 1982 and is about to bicycle home from Seattle. Kristen is a junior at Middlebury."

**HAL amRHEIN** writes his first home will be finished in June in East Sebago, ME. Hal's father passed away in December.

**WILLIAM DENNIS ENGS** tells us he has been an independent trainer for 2½ years in human resources development and teaching at LaVerne University, LaVerne, CA.

**ARTHUR A. DUGRENIER** has one wife, five daughters, two grandchildren and one on the way!

*The advantage to being Class Secretary is hearing from everyone and as someone said, "memories of GDA return." If you wish addresses of any of the above, just let me know.*

## '51

**George McGregor**, Class Agent  
154 Lakeview Avenue  
Haverhill, MA 01830

**Volunteer needed for class secretary**

**KENNETH BISTANY** has been appointed President and Representative Director of CPC Japan Ltd. and joint Representative Director of Knorr Foods Company, a joint venture between Ajinomoto and CPC. Ken holds degrees from Tufts and Wharton and joined CPC Japan November 1, 1982. Prior to his assignment in Tokyo, Ken held a number of marketing positions in S. B. Thomas and CPC North America, the most recent being Vice President Marketing Services of Best Foods.

**PETER WHITNEY** writes — "Associate Director of Surgery, Tucson Hospital Medical Education Program and Clinical Professor of Surgery, University of Arizona College of Medicine. Skiing, sailing, fishing, hunting, hiking, sketching and photography, judo (2nd degree black belt). Trying to grow Christmas trees in Arizona. Private practice of surgery to pay for all of the above, plus support four children. Aging disreputably!"

## '52

**Rev. Franklin Huntress**, Class Agent  
Box 201, St. Stephens Church  
Schuylerville, NY 12871

**Frank W. Stockwell, Jr.** Class Secretary  
45 East 86th Street, Apt. 6J  
New York, NY 10028

From Dallas, **FRED SMITH** reports that he's active with the formation of an International Advisory Council composed of a group of outstanding GDA alumni. The first meeting was in Boston and another at the Academy in April. The main thrust of this Advisory Council is to enhance GDA's national prominence and to assist the new headmaster throughout the country. Fred will be back in Camden, Maine in July/August to put an edge on his Maine accent, which he admits gets weak around this time of year.

**GEORGE PACKARD** writes that he is currently vice president and a director of HCW Oil & Gas, a Boston/Midland, Texas based oil and gas independent. In addition, he is still associated with Alex Brown & Sons. George's daughter Lisa is involved in the Graphics/Display area of the retail merchandising industry while son Quinn is at Northeastern in their co-op program with his internship being spent at HCW O & G. And wife Mary skillfully coordinates her own busy schedule into bringing some sense of order into their world of chaos. George also reported that while driving around Lord Nelson in Trafalgar Square last August, he noted a middle-aged stoic wearing a GDA sweatshirt; perhaps one of our missing classmates?

**FRANK HUNTRESS** writes that the ministry keeps him busy in the most unex-

pected ways alongside the usual parish commitments. For Frank, it's the perks of these extra and enjoyable tasks that come his way. He mentions that the Class Agent's responsibility of maintaining touch with our classmates is what keeps the element of friendship real and alive over the years. Also, too, the chance to be in on the activities of GDA makes him available to pass others along the same way of life that has meaning and value. Being a city kid, Frank finds that the rural dimension found in Schuylerville is refreshing and challenging. He recently witnessed his first embryo-transplant in cattle followed by a good quaff of beer and roast beef freshly killed and right off the hock.

From New Hampshire **DAVID POWERS** reports that things are about the same except that as a director of the National Easter Seal Society he chaired the National Easter Seal Telethon Committee. This year's Telethon was aired from 11 p.m. on March 26 to 7 p.m. on March 27 and raised \$21,336,000 to help our nation's disabled. Son, David, Jr., GDA '79, graduated this year from Colby College and has a Watson Fellowship to study abroad next year. Dave's final bit of news is to state that after not playing clarinet and sax for a number of years, he's working more gigs than ever now.

Reporting from Ridgewood, NJ, where he's been living for six years, **JOHN BURNS** says he is currently National Sales Manager for Polymer Sales in the chemical area for Shell Oil, where he has been working for 27 years. John is still active playing golf at Ridgewood Country Club, where he maintains a seven handicap. His folks are still in Newbury, where he visits monthly. John's wife Sally is a school administrator in Ridgewood, and their three daughters are at Georgetown Law School, Georgetown University and Holy Cross.

Your class secretary, **FRANK STOCKWELL**, reports that his oldest, Jeff, will be graduating this summer from Boston University. And, they, with the rest of the clan (Ed — GDA '51 and Dave — GDA '55) will invade Plum Island for the latter part of August.

## '53

**William Plumer**  
Class Agent  
20 Alden Road  
Wellesley Hills, MA 02181

**Volunteer needed for class secretary**

**JAMES PARKES** — "I am presently happy in practice of orthopedic surgery at Columbia in NYC. It's hard for me to believe, but I am an Associate Clinical Professor in Orthopedic Surgery at Columbia. I can never thank my wonderful teachers enough at Governor Dummer for all they did for me. I try hard to give back to my students what was given to me."

**THOMAS G. CRAIG** — We are deeply saddened to have to publish the following. Tom, from Worcester, MA., informed the



Academy "on April 15 my wife Helen, 47, and daughter Amy, 15, were killed in an airplane crash in Cape Hatteras. I'm still trying to put my life back together with the help of my two older kids, David and Lindy."

**'54**

Thomas Larsen, Class Agent  
26 Quinobequin Road  
Newton, MA 02162

Volunteer needed for class secretary



Tom Larsen '54

**'55**

Philip A. Angell, Jr., Class Secretary  
Box 116  
Randolph, VT 05060

Volunteer needed for class agent

**'56**

Thomas Elder, Class Agent  
34 Colonial Road  
Hingham, MA 02043

Vincent C. Sgarzi, Class Secretary  
Box 701  
Plymouth, MA 02361



Jim Dean '56

**'57**

Volunteers needed for class agent and secretary

TOM CHALFANT is teaching at Alabama State University in Montgomery. Has recently been promoted to Associate Professor.

**'58**

Harvey Hayden, Class Agent  
18 Cass Street  
Exeter, NH 03833

Charles M. Carroll, Class Secretary  
69 Elm Street  
Camden, ME 04843

*The evening of June 3 members of the class of 1958, with wives and friends, joined together at The Grog — an eatery in Newburyport. Present were Harvey Hayden, Neil Quinn, Mike Hale, Ginger Ardiff, Nuffy Withington, Tony Bourn, Joe Montgomery and Chick Carroll. It was not a merely enjoyable evening; it was one which all of us will remember for some time to come. There is a special quality to relationships which go back as many years as ours do — a quality undimmed by the pretensions of adulthood. I think all of us found it to be a time of much laughter, some nostalgia, and something that we would like to repeat in future years. We learned much about many of our classmates, including some who were not able to be present.*

TONY BOURN reported at some length about his activities. He is a physical therapist in Haverhill, MA concentrating in sports medicine. Tony described some of the advances being made and his activity in them, particularly with respect to the merging of the fields of physical therapy, psychiatry, altered states of consciousness, and holistic approaches to health maintenance. On Saturday, Tony's children joined him at the reunion, and we had a chance to get reacquainted at length.

JOE MONTGOMERY and Celia made the trip from Georgetown, CT. Celia will have a baby in September. Joe reported on his activities as president of Cannondale Company, which makes a well-known line of outdoor equipment. Joe and Celia are, as well, buying and rehabilitating apartment buildings in Nantucket. Joe is as active and energetic as ever.

NUFFY WITHINGTON reported on the activities going on at the Academy from the point of view of a member of the Board of Trustees. Nuffy was also a member of the Search Committee for the new Headmaster. He indicated that the Search Committee had reviewed several people of extremely high qualifications, and he was particularly pleased that Peter Bragdon had been selected and had agreed to become the twenty-sixth Headmaster.

MIKE HALE was found to be living on a farm in the Berkshires where, among other things, he sells baled hay. Mike also spends several months in Italy and in New York as well. Like the rest of us, he seemed more handsome than in 1958, if, perhaps, a little thinner on top.

GINGER ARDIFF — looking responsible and wise as a senior attorney in the Town of Danvers should — reported on a life in which he devotes some 70 hours a week to his practice. Many of those present, including his wife Martha, noted that he also described many vacations and extra-curricular activities which led us to suspect that, perhaps, he did work 70 hours a week on occasion, but that this was more than made up for by interesting and adventurous holidays and vacations. Ginger devotes considerable time to civic affairs in Danvers, as well.

NEIL QUINN and Betsy commuted to the reunion from their home near Putney, Vermont, where they run a bicycle and cross-country ski shop — one of the best in Vermont, from what I understand from people who know it. Neil looks in fantastic shape from long hours behind the handlebars. Betsy and he lead bike tours and will be leading one next year to Sri Lanka. Betsy passed around the brochures for this trip, and several of us — including Ann and me — were tempted by the prospect.

HARVEY HAYDEN amazed us with his description of his really dedicated efforts to contact classmates and visit with them during his many trips. He reported on several from memory. We were all impressed and grateful for the effort that he brings to the job of Class Agent.

JAMES MAIN — has been promoted to District Sales Manager, Japan Air Lines, and transferred to the Denver sales office and is just getting settled into his new home. "Wish I could join the group at the reunion dinner, but must 'watch the store.' Perhaps Claudette and I will make the 30th in five years. Our best wishes to all."

RICHARD MORSE writes — "I am anticipating our return to Kenya in August '83 with my wife Betty, son Rick (14) and daughter Joy (10). We will be expanding the Tenwek Hospital to 220 beds during the next two years. If we continue to operate at our 200% of capacity, we should be plenty busy. The spiritual ministry at Tenwek Hospital continues to be very fruitful. After August 20, 1983 my address will again be Tenwek Hospital, Box 39, Bomet, Sotik, Kenya, East Africa."

*I would be delighted if classmates who were not at the reunion would drop me a note in care of the Academy telling me what they are doing so that I might broaden the spectrum of classmates whose activities are described in this column.*

**'59**

Dr. James Foley, Agent & Secretary  
80 Woodland Street  
Methuen, MA 01844

DANA ATCHLEY writes, "Continuing road adventures as independent television producer for programming for Showtime, Entertainment Tonight and a number of other shows. Have just produced and licensed fifty 'Video Postcards' (90 sec. vignettes of Americana) for nationally syndicated PM Magazine."

**'60**

Carl Youngman, Class Agent  
94 Clements Road  
Newton, MA 02158

Volunteer needed for class secretary

**'61**

Samuel W. Wakeman, Class Agent  
255 Atlantic Avenue  
Cohasset, MA 02025

Alan D. Booth, Class Secretary  
2403 Evergreen Road  
Toledo, OH 43606



**LAWRENCE BAILEY** has earned a Masters in admiralty law. He is teaching American history at Bartlett School, Jacksonville, FL.

**JOHN CANEPA** writes — "I was so taken with Ft. Lauderdale that I married a native in 1971. Leslie and I have two girls, Lena, age 9, and Lauren, age 4. We have a small farm on the river in Warner, NH and extend an invite to any friends or classmates heading by on Route 89. I work in Manchester, NH for N.E. Telephone as Manager of the System Programming Group at one of our Corporate Data Centers.

**ROYS ELLIS** — "Living in Lahaina, on the island of Maui, Hawaii. Working for Pioneer Mill Co. Ltd. as processing superintendent. Started as a field hand planting seed in the sugar-cane fields twelve years ago, after a year of surfing, following my resignation as pilot from Flying Tigers. Presently running the processing of cane into raw sugar at the factory. Any classmates or friends who make it to Lahaina can reach me at the mill."

**TOM WOODRUFF** — was married March 2, 1982 to Kathleen C. Feiten. He is still working for Bank of America in their North American Division calling on the Northwest. Kathi and Tom are living in San Francisco and enjoying the great West Coast atmosphere.

**STAN THOMAS** — reports that he is living in St. Louis and is Vice President of Sales for the Gennison-Wright Corporation, which manufactures treated cross ties for the nation's railroads. Stan also indicated that he has slowed down from his marathon running days, but still is actively staying thin running around the block.

**CHARLIE VAUGHAN** — is still teaching English and French in Maine at the Gardiner Junior High School. In his free time, he is also selling Volvos in Portland. He and his wife Priscilla have a son Matthew, who was born October, 1982.

The last bit of news comes from **SAM WAKEMAN**, who has recently been promoted to Vice President of his firm. Due to Sam's handwriting, I was not able to distinguish the long name of the firm. (Editor: It is Rollins Burdick Hunter of Massachusetts). Neely 2½ and Wiley 1½ are growing too fast and are finally now outside most of the time, instead of ripping up the house. Linda is very involved in the local conservation work. Sam would like to have anyone that gets to the Boston area give him a call.

## '62

**Denis Golden**, Class Agent  
15 Barberry Way  
Gloucester, MA 01930

**Stephen W. Blair**, Class Secretary  
2 School Street  
Byfield, MA 01922

**DARRELL HAMRIC** in Austin, TX, works as a tax examiner for I.R.S.

**JOHN TARBELL** writes — "Second stint as a bachelor living in Manhattan. Much more manageable than the first, and much more enjoyable. Forced to quit rugby finally, but continue with daily running workouts, now at 3,000+ days continuously. Have decided to apply to the Class of '61's 25 Reunion (1986) with Denis Golden, honor them (!) with our presence again, as in our original freshman year. Plan to be at our own, too. Await response from Denis and '61."

## '63

**Donald Connelly**,  
Class Agent  
14 Watson Street  
Marblehead, MA 01945

**Volunteer needed for class secretary**

**ROBERT MCGILVRAY** — Bob and Barbara became the proud parents of a 10½ lb. boy February 3, 1982; his name is Alexander Marcus. Bob continues to teach in the School of Landscape Architecture, practices architecture, and was recently appointed to the Vancouver Urban Design Panel.

## '64

**Donald Balser**, Class Agent  
12 Hawkes Street  
Marblehead, MA 01945

**John S. Mercer**, Class Secretary  
167 Main Street  
Amesbury, MA 01913

**DAVID MARTIN**, in England, recently ran as a conservative parliamentary candidate for Yeovil (Somerset). He lost, earning 44% of the vote to the winner's 50%.

**JOHN STEELE** writes — "August 31, I am resigning from the position of Planning Director for Wayne County, NY to study at the Conway School of Landscape Design in Conway, MA. This is a nine-month graduate program (18 students, 3 faculty) and the right transition for me back into a career in landscape architecture. I look forward to being closer to GDA."

## '65

**J. Scott Magrane**, Class Agent  
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## '66

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**JOHN BRYER**, who has not been heard from for some time, reports that he has been working as a registered architect at Cambridge Seven Associates since 1979, and that he was married to Diane Mantak in February 1983. John graduated from

UNH in 1970, with majors in Art and Art History, and then did two years of alternate service working with first offenders in the Boston criminal justice system. While working in that program, he began working with his camera to document its activities, for funding and public information purposes. He then worked for various groups developing slide/tape presentations including work on "Where's Boston." John left Boston for Philadelphia in 1974, received a Master's degree in architecture from Penn and worked at various architectural firms before returning to Boston in 1979. John also reports that he is a strong supporter of the projected Arts Center and that he was delighted to hear of Peter Bragdon's appointment as Headmaster. John knew Peter and his family in Exeter.

**PETER NAVINS**, who is practicing law in Wellesley with his brother Rusty and John King, under the name of King & Navins, recently dunned most of us for contributions to the Alumni Fund. In the course of his telephone calls, he learned that **SCOTT EMERSON** is involved in investment banking and has a one-year-old daughter named Margaret.

**FREDERICK W. BARKER, II** is a resident in general surgery.

**THOMAS W. HEALD** is an attorney in Providence.

**PETER C. HICKS** has remarried and works in Chevy Chase, MD for Bache.

**LAURENCE HILLIARD** is a reporter for the Hattiesburg *Record* in Hattiesburg, Mississippi; he covers the governor and legislature in Jackson. He has two children.

**W. WALTER JAFFE** is working for a publishing company in NY. Walter received a Ph.D. in German from Yale.

**DAVID W. STONEBRAKER** is the father of a second son on September 13, 1982 — Benjamin.

**ROBERT VAUGHAN** tells us son Christopher was born August 10, 1982. Beginning this July, he was named principal of the Lenox and Morris Elementary School in Lenox, MA. Katie and Bob have three children — Kelly 5, Julie 2½ and Christopher 1 year.

**JEFFREY C. WEBER** writes — "For the last two-and-a-half years I have been serving as Executive Producer of Nickelodeon — a national Cable TV network. Nickelodeon programs 13 hours a day of children's television. Recently the channel was awarded the coveted Peabody Award considered the 'Pulitzer Prize of Broadcasting.' I'm living on the West Side of Manhattan with my wife Marianna."

## '67

**Daniel Morgan**, Class Agent  
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**Bennett H. Beach**, Class Secretary  
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Larchmont, NY 10538

**R. MacDONALD BARNES** is working at



Salomon Brothers, living on Staten Island with his wife Anne and three children — Renny, 4½, Nellie, 2, and Heidi, 9 months, and "God is blessing us."

**RICHARD BRAYTON** is married and living in San Francisco. He is an associate with the design firm of Charles Pfister, Inc. and is just finishing a new Regent International Hotel for Washington, DC. Dick has become a registered architect in California.

**DOUGLAS CURTIS** — Expecting child in mid-June. Presently employed as Senior Project Engineer by U.S.C.I., Div. Bard Inc., designing catheters for coronary diagnostic and therapeutic use and critical care items. Expect home to be completed midsummer.

**TED DIX** is a professor at the State University of New York at Stonybrook starting this fall. He will be teaching child psychology and continuing his research.

**ANDREW NICHOLS** and family (Loxley, Rachel and Marden) have left Macon, GA for Baltimore, where Andrew is a trust officer with Mercantile. He was part of the 55% who passed the Maryland bar exam last week.

Just as Andrew arrived, his old friend **PHIL FINN** and family (Jane, Phil Jr., and Richard) left Maryland for Ridgewood, NJ. Phil is still with Montgomery Ward, but is now in New York as Replenishment Manager for the men's division, nationwide.

**DONALD GAY** writes — "Emily and I are expecting our third child in November. My wife wants a girl and I want a boy."

**RICHARD A. JENSEN** is head Golf Professional at the President Country Club, West Palm Beach, FL, developed by Perini Corp. of Framingham, MA.

No sooner had the class's Garden State Club grown to four members than **KEVIN LEARY** kissed Camden County goodbye. He and Peggy moved to Gloucester, where Kevin has earned a real estate license. Watch for Kevin, Jr., due in December.

**JON STRATER** has started his own business on Long Island: Image Technology Corp. (ITC).



Rich '67 and Mardi Brayton and Fran and Lew Rumford '67

## '68

**John Emerson**, Class Agent  
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Libertyville, IL 60048

**Carl F. Spang, Jr.**, Class Secretary  
RFD 1  
Wiswall Road  
Newmarket, NH 03857

**ROBERT LORD** is "still working for Sea Frost building and marketing sailboat galley refrigerators. We've had some encouraging acceptance in the Caribbean charter trade and in the northeast U.S. boatbuilding industry."

**JIM RUDOLPH** — "Berth Announcement. The Skipper and First Mate of the Yacht 'Preference' are proud to announce the birth of their new Crew Member, William Jared on Saturday, April 30, 1983 at 12:19 in the afternoon, weighing in at 9 lbs., 11 oz., and 22 inches tall."

## '69

**Peter Dorsey**, Class Agent  
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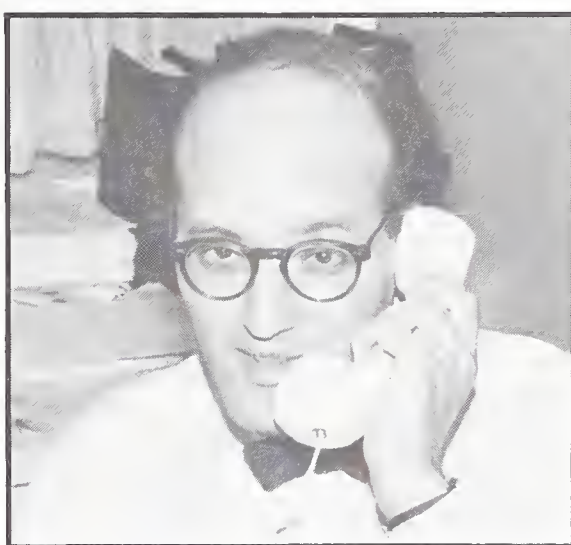
**Jeffrey L. Gordon**, Class Secretary  
35 Second Street  
Newport, RI 02840

**DOUGLAS BRADSHAW** — "New house — ranch on ¾ acres. Two-year-old son doing great. Whole family beautiful. Received Masters Degree in Education Feb. 1983 from Bridgewater State College. Photography business doing great!"

## '70

**Nathaniel Williams**, Class Agent  
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Arlington, VA 22203

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Jonathan Imber '70

## '71

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**Michael Hoover**, Co-class Agent  
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New York, New York 10021

## '72

**Brian Lenane**, Class Agent  
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Topsfield, MA 01983

**Kevin Kearney**, Class Secretary  
457 Maple Avenue  
Durham, CT 06422

**ANDY LAPPIN** still in Chicago working in real estate management. Recently had a visit from **CHRIS SWENSON** whose flourishing acting career now features a television commercial in which Swede portrays an Alaskan King Crab Leg for a Pacific Northwest seafood concern.

**STEVE ROUTHIER** is an account executive for an ad agency in Stamford, CT and is engaged to be married soon. Steve recently heard from **WIZ POTTER**, who is in the construction business in Colorado.

**TIM TRAVER** and his wife Delia Clark are co-directors of the Norman Bird Sanctuary in Middletown, RI.



Andy Lappin '72

**TUNK HOSMER** owns and operates a 40 acre vineyard in Ovid, NY. He's growing red, white and pink grapes which he markets to winemakers.

**PETER FRANKLIN** is living in Amesbury, MA with his wife Carol and their daughter Katie, born March 17, 1983.

**MEREDITH BEIT** — "Finished graduate program, social work, MSW, Boston University; landed job at Beth Israel immediately after graduation as clinical social worker."

**BOB BENSON** — "Our second son, Zachary, was born February 5, 1983."

**WILLIAM CONNOLLY** has moved to Morgan Guaranty's Paris Office for a four-year assignment.

**JUDSON CROOK** reports he "is attached to assault craft unit at Little Creek, Virginia; released from active service, July 30, 1983. Presently building my own business as a distributor and color analyst."

**WILLIAM DURYEA** is self employed in the construction industry doing primarily concrete and masonry work.

**ALLAN FOSTER** is involved in the family real estate business located in Fitchburg, MA, primarily active in brokerage and development work through central Mass.

**JOSEPH WISEMAN** graduated from Washington University Law School and is practicing tax law.



**WILLIAM WATTS** — "Completing five years as a Naval Architect for Global Marine, Inc. Work involves design and analysis of new concepts of offshore drilling and production of oil. My wife, Joy, and I now have a lovely one-year-old daughter named Katie."

**JAMES IRVING** is still practicing law in Fairfax County, VA; still single, playing club lacrosse and writing fiction in his spare time. He competed in the James Jefferson Triathlon in May in Arlington, VA.

A final note on our class agent **BRIAN LENANE**, who was recently appointed to the Board of Trustees at GDA for a three-year term as an alumni trustee. Congratulations, Brian, for a well-deserved honor.

## '73

**Carey Doyle**, Class Agent  
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**Deborah (Eames) McClement**, Class Secretary  
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East Northport, NY 11731

**ROBERTO ARGUELLO-OSORIO** is married.

**CRAIG DOWLEY** is working for Beswick Engineering Company in Ipswich, MA.

**BUZZ GODDARD** is an audio and video consultant in Boston.

**LAWRENCE JONES** is married with two children.

**DONALD LEAS** is married with one daughter.

**MICHAEL McDOWELL** reports, "We are just moving to a new house; my daughter, Sarah, is almost three. The business is doing well this year, and its keeping us very busy."

**PHILIP SMITH** — Phil and Winnie are expecting their first child in October.

**DAN WISE** writes, "Greetings: Unfortunately my family and I will not be able to attend the big Number 10. By my family I mean my wife Claudia and two daughters — Jennifer (2+ years) and Robin (8 months.) We are all doing fine out here in Oregon, although I do miss playing hockey and shovelling snow in the winters. I have been working for the last four years in a retail nursery selling trees, shrubs, bedding plants, etc. I now do most of the buying and manage the two acres of nursery stock."



Ron Coles '73

## '74

**David Williams**, Class Agent  
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Providence, RI 02906

**Jonathan B. Sendor**, Class Secretary  
2232 North Seminary Street  
Chicago, IL 60614

**RICHARD CHANDGIE** is the entrepreneur of the class. For the past seven years, he has owned and operated "Chandgies," a successful men's clothing store which specializes in upper-end fashions. Anyone passing through Greensboro is welcome to stop by for a fitting. Rich also wins the award for being married the longest — 10 years!!! He is also the proud father of a 9-year-old daughter and a 6-year-old son.

**KEITH ELLIOTT** is working in the merchant marine and at last word was on assignment to North American Trading Co. sailing the seven seas.

We are quickly expanding the amount of available legal counsel. **STEVEN EPSTEIN** graduated from Boston University Law School, and **ROBERT LIBIN** got his parchment from Suffolk Law School.

**BRIAN HANCOCK** — Anyone wanting to know how the Air Force is managed should call Brian. He does cost analysis for the service. Brian got married last June and lives in Acton, MA.



Jon Sendor '74

**TOM HUFFSMITH** was married in April at the Moseley Chapel, GDA, to Ann Douglas of Brunswick, Maine. Tom is employed by Horizon Hotels, Ltd. of Boston.

**JEFFREY JONES** reports that he is working for the family business and lives on a lake in Hampstead, New Hampshire. Jeff is celebrating his third anniversary of marital bliss and has one child — a big black dog.

Up on the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, **TOM MOSELEY** manages the timber holdings for Cleveland Cliffs Co. Tom has been married for 1½ years, and he and his wife live in a log cabin that they built on Lake Superior.

**JAMES PRAMBERG** has just graduated from Tulane Medical School and will be interning in Pediatrics at Charity Hospital, an affiliate of the school. He is moving into a

restored former slave-quarter apartment. We hope this is not an indication of what medical internships are like!

**SALLY (BROWN) LAFFELY** — Has Andrea, Isaac — two new babies — is very happy!

**PAM McELROY** is working as a sales representative at Polaroid — still! Yacht racing in Marblehead on a 36' C & C.

**TOM PALMER** — Our classmate from Bangor has moved west and is the manager of the Holiday Inn in Durango, Colorado. Tom is a devoted bachelor and welcomes any vacationers to try his hospitality. Tom's brother **ED PALMER '75** also manages a Holiday Inn in New Hampshire.

**ANDREA (LIPSKY) SHAW** has a six-month-old daughter, Lauren Rachel Shaw.

**COURTNEY WANG** is heading up a new division of Wang Laboratories called Wang Communications, headquartered in Denver.

**LAWRENCE B. WOOLSON, JR.** — "Woolie" is working in the building supply business in Concord, NH. He graduated from Hartwick with a degree in economics and is married!

**NAT BOWDITCH** — "I married the former Lynn Spann in June of 1981; our family so far consists of a Chesapeake Bay Retriever and two cats. We live in Cape Elizabeth, Maine where I am employed by Investors Diversified Services (IDS). We expect to move to the Ellsworth, Maine area at the end of the summer, after Lynn finishes up at the University of Maine Law School. I'd really like to hear from nearby alumni."

**DONALD J. BURCHELL, JR.** has earned a Ph.D. in Polymer Science (plastics) at UMass.

**EDWARD P. CERIER** recently began studying at NYU Business School and is engaged.

## '75

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**Stephanie (Eames) Farrar**, Class Secretary  
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*Hello, everyone. Let me first thank everyone who took the time to write. The response was great.*

**LISA VAUGHTER** writes that she just graduated from nursing school. She is currently living in Greensboro, NC and seeking employment.

**MICHAEL HARDING** is living in Sandy, Utah, where he publishes a newspaper he began 1½ years ago. Before that he spent 1½ years working on and racing boats around the East Coast and Caribbean. He's still skiing and still single!



JAY TAGGART is employed as an assistant buyer at Neiman-Marcus in Dallas. He completed their executive training program in 1981.

From Carmel, CA ROBERT KAPLAN writes that he is working for the nation's leading cable TV consultant, Paul Kagen Associates. Although initially hired as a TV producer, recently he has been helping Paul Kagen appraise the value of radio and TV stations, as well as cable systems and networks. The work is exciting and makes the most of his skills. In his spare time Bob flies and does aerial photography of the coast. A tour of the area is promised to any classmate who makes it out there.

SCOTT DRAPER is still employed by Solomon Bros. (NYC) as an options arbitrage trader. His big news is that in October he will be married to Eileen Hagan. The ceremony will be held in Newport Beach, CA. We all wish them a very happy life together.

MARIA PAPAIOANOU GRAY is currently completing her M.Ed. She says her two children keep her very busy and very happy.

MARTHA RILEY MERRILL has 3 children (Peter 4½, Michael 3, Sarah 13 months) and maintains a craft business. Her business consists of hand and machine quilting, dried and pressed flowers and handloomed knitting.

MICHAEL SAPUPPO says that he is "barely surviving" in Hartford, where he is employed as a mortgage loan officer for Barclay's American Business Credit. When he's not "surviving" in Hartford, he's "escaping" to Europe, South America and the islands.

KINGSLEY GODDARD is a high school English teacher in East Hampton, CT. He coaches boys soccer and co-ed track and field. He lives on a lake and is (I quote) "still looking for the not-so-perfect woman!"

TERRY WILLIAMS recently joined the Peace Corps. She left July 3 for training and from there will be going to Africa.

I recently visited PAULA SEKORA near her home in Florida. She lives in Melbourne Beach. She is taking the State Mortgage brokers' exam in July and has been doing very well in the Florida real estate market. She looks fantastic (lean and tan!). While we were having lunch in Jupiter, Florida, we ran into DEBBIE GRAVELLE '76!

VICTORIA BELL JONES is married and has moved to Topsfield, Mass. She and her husband, Craig, are expecting their second child.

CRAIG CLARK is single, enjoying Southern California lifestyle, working as associate engineer in a research center (optics, laser).

DAN MORRIS — "In June, I took a position with American Petroleum Corp., as vice president, administration. The company is a small oil and gas investment company. I am now responsible for 150+ limited investors, and as the name implies, I am responsible for essentially running the

company. This job is quite a quantum leap for me, considering my last position with Samson Resources. Secondly, I have now relocated to New York State. As much as I didn't really want to return to the Northeast, the position offered was a once-in-a-lifetime shot. It is fairly hard rejoining the northeastern way of life after living in, and getting to enjoy Oklahoma. Anyway, my new home address is as follows: RD#3, Putnam Lake Road, Brewster, NY 10509."

WILLIAM SHAHEEN has graduated from UMass at Amherst with a degree in Civil Engineering and has been accepted in the graduate program in geotechnical engineering.

Finally, MOI. I am by day a full-time Mom to my six-month-old daughter Carey Alyce, and by night a full-time social worker. In my spare time I do freelance work for the local cable TV company. I just finished filming a "nook and cranny" tour of Crane Castle in Ipswich. I am also a freelance photographer, and am currently working for a state rep. candidate.

*In conclusion, I want to again thank those of you who wrote. To those who didn't\*\*\*\*\*. If I can find the time... so can you. So come on, let's hear from you.*

## '76

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JEFF OGDEN has relocated to Dallas from NYC and is helping to open a branch office of Bankers Trust Company.

CAROL-ANN GOLDBERG received her MBA from Boston University in May and has accepted a position as marketing associate with GTE Corporation at Sylvania in Danvers. She will be doing research forecasting and strategic planning.

NINA CHIARA graduated from Wheaton College in December with a B.A. in economics and is pursuing a career in advertising.

PETER LAKE is working for a publishing firm in London and lives in a house full of lawyers. "I am enjoying running more and more, to the point that I traveled to Versailles for a road race."

DAN MILLER graduated from Cornell in 1981 and spent two years with Hyatt Hotels in Chicago. Most recently, he joined the firm of Lavenhol and Horwath in Chicago in Management Advisory Services, consulting with the hospitality industry.

## '77

Joseph Pietrafesa, Class Agent  
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ELIZABETH KANNAN is employed as an art consultant for the Dietrich Amer-

icana Collection (a private collection of American art) in Philadelphia, PA.

## '78

Jody Baum, Class Agent  
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Ipswich, MA 01938

RAY CASEY — Currently in the process of a 5 year degree in Architectural Engineering of North Carolina A & T Univ., completion date, May 1984. Married in the summer of '82 to Katherine T. Wallace of Los Angeles, CA, a Harvard Univ. Ph.D., in comparative literature and languages.

CURTISS FOX graduated from Ursinus College in May with a B.A. in economics and business administration. "I am employed by Monroe Systems for Business as a sales representative. Presently live with parents in Morrisville, PA, but spends lots of time at the Jersey Shore, and looks forward to evenings at Atlantic City casinos."

PETER HEY — "Hi. I am serving in my first parish as a United Methodist Pastor and am married to a very wonderful person — her name is Cathy (formerly Sprague) of North Adams, MA. We are very happy in our work, and I will be beginning at Boston University School of Theology in the fall."

ADAM KASTAN — "Hello, class of '78. After graduating from Gettysburg College with a B.A. in business, I backpacked through Europe for 2½ months. I recommend it very highly. Back to Boston I came after three fruitless months of job searching. I moved to Atlanta and am a representative for First Investors Corp. and am living with EARL HUNTER."

ANDREW ROBINSON — "After graduating from the URI with a B.S. in geology and finding no pertinent employment, I have spent most of the last year trying to earn money. I worked in a stereo speaker factory for about eight months — depressing! After that I've been doing woodwork and rebuilding an old Victorian house in Newburyport. I'll soon be starting as an energy auditor for 'Abundant Energy' in Newburyport."

ANDREW STEPHENSON will be working for Cushing Academy this fall — teaching math and general science, living in a dorm and coaching two seasons.

## '79

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DEBBIE BAKER is a radiology technician who plans to work in the Natick-Wellesley area and is to be married in September to James Black.

BRAD CAVANAUGH is racing and working at a boatyard in Conn.

ANNE CHISHOLM has graduated from Mt. Holyoke and applied to law school. She will be working in Washington, DC over the summer.



**KATHLEEN COFFIN** got engaged in December '82. Getting married summer of '84. Started work for MIT's Dept. of Brain Science — Neuropsychology Research Group in June. She is traveling through Asia this July and plans to live near Boston when she gets back from the trip.

**CEDRIC CORNWALL** graduated from the University of Mississippi at Oxford and hopes to go to law school.

**MONIQUE CREMER** graduated from UVM, where she majored in geology.

**TROY DAGRES**, who graduated from Colby, is now working for Towle Silver in Newburyport.

**JOAN ESPOSITO**, after spending last summer in France, has finished her junior year at Mt. Holyoke.

**RUSSELL EVANS** was married in March.

**BETSY FARLEY** worked last summer on an herb and perennial farm and now is working at the Kedron Valley Stables in South Woodstock, VT.

**LISA LAW** graduated from Merrimack College, where she was a psychology major and now plans on graduate school.

**KATHLEEN LEARY** loves working for Alexander and Alexander Insurance Brokerage in Newburyport.

**ANDY LINN** took two physical education classes this spring to fulfill his graduation requirements at Wittenburg.

**DAVID LOTHROP** graduated Magna Cum Laude from Lake Forest in the Independent Scholar program, with special honors in his senior thesis and honors in the Interface of Existential Philosophy, Psychology and World Religions. His thesis was "Wholeness and Holiness: Psychological and Religious Approaches to Personal Growth." Next year Dave will be graduate assistant at Duquesne University, aiming toward a Masters' degree in Psychology.

**SCOTT MILLER** is a business major at UNH after he took a year off to live in Cambridge.

**MATT PALAIS** is at Lewis and Clark for East languages major.

**STEVE PERRY** majored in math at St. Lawrence and is now certified to teach high school levels. He plans to spend the summer on Nantucket.

**DAVID POWERS** — Awarded Thomas J. Watson fellowship grant to pursue postgraduate study abroad. Dave will spend next year studying the history and development of ocean liners in Europe and their impact on maritime history. He will visit maritime museums, archives, steamship companies and construction yards in England, Scotland, France and the Netherlands. "The goal of my project," Dave explains, "is to try and discover if there is any trend in the development of ocean liners from the mid-19th century through their decline after World War II; to examine social impacts and purpose of design." A history major, Dave has been a student of maritime history and collector of ocean liner memorabilia since childhood. One aspect of his project will be to compile a guide to resources on the topic of countries he visits.

**STEVE QUEEN** spent the spring doing experiments with fungus on an Independent Study at Macalester College where his major is undecided.



Some members from the Class of '81 gather at Reunion.

**BRAD REICHTER** plans to attend graduate school for business administration and computer sciences at Dartmouth.

**JIM RONAN** is NOT to be married and won't be at Harvard Law as we were previously told.

**WENDY SILIN'S** future holds either graduate school at Bentley or work in the "Real World." She was an accounting major at UVM.

**DAVID SMITH** is living in Baltimore, MD.

**JOHANNA STEPHAN** will spend the next eight months in EuroAsia.

**RANDY TYE** is a female body builder and hopes to learn as much as she can to help people learn about their body potentials.

**LARRY WHITTEN** (via Avery Woodworth) graduated from Norwich University and will join the Army in October.

**AVERY WOODWORTH** graduated as an economics major from Washington College and will be a summer camp counselor in Maine and plans to travel in the fall.

**LAURA ROOME** — "Sorry to miss those of you who made it to Reunion/Alumni weekend but unexpected family obligations caught me up. I will be in Wolfeboro, NH for the summer working in a toy store and hope that any of you who are in the area will stop in at the Balloon Shop on Main Street to see me. Kathy Leary and I are working on creating a newsletter for our class, and hopefully you'll keep me informed on all that's up with each of you, so I can keep everyone else up to date."

*(Editor's note: Our sympathy is extended to Laura and her family. Her father died in early June.)*

## '80

**Abner Mason**, Class Agent  
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Cambridge, MA 02138

**Volunteer needed for class secretary**

**JULIE DUFF** was one of six attack players recently chosen to the U. S. national women's lacrosse squad. It was the second time she has been named to the team. Julie completed her third varsity season at William and Mary with 24 goals and six assists and now has scored 74 career goals. Julie played for the Virginia I and South I all-star teams and was then named to the United States Women's Lacrosse Association All-Tournament team.

**LESLIE ROBINS** recently returned from her third trip to South America working on a passenger ship running the gift shop, and

is getting into shore life by working at Disneyland for the summer before returning to school to study gemology and jewelry design in the fall. "Taking time off has been the best decision I've ever made!"

## '81

**Daniel C. Cross**, Agent & Secretary  
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**GARY BOSTWICK** co-captained the 82/83 Bowdoin wrestling team. Finished in fifth position at the New England championships during the past year.

**ROB BREED** is an economics major. "Still a thriving member of Delta Kappa Epsilon — trying not to let work interrupt my social life. Planning on working at Bath Iron Works again this summer."

**JOHN COLE** is a sophomore at Ohio Wesleyan and an active member of the Tau Kappa Epsilon. "My grades are good but hopefully will improve. I am playing the trumpet in two school bands and am quite busy with my classes. I am living in Tulsa, Oklahoma where my family moved last summer."

**BENAY LAZO** scored a goal for Wellesley against **LINDA MILLER '79**, goalie and co-captain for the victorious Amherst women's lacrosse team. A winter vacation took her to the mideast — two weeks in Israel and one in Egypt.

**LISA LOUDEN** writes — "I continue to enjoy UNH and being a sister at Delta Zeta. Looking forward to seeing people from the Class of '81 at parties this summer. Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. Ragle; we'll miss him."

**CYNTHIA PFEIFFER** — "All is well with me; I've had a fantastic year at Duke. As a history major I've managed to tap one of Duke's finer departments, and once again I've made the Dean's List. I was also elected treasurer of my sorority. Spent a weekend at Duke's Marine Lab in Beaufort, NC — a blast — and after finals spent a week on the beach in Myrtle, SC. Am now back home waitressing at Ten Center Street and enjoying the summer."

## '82

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Class of '83 secretary Hope Williams and co-agents Laurianne Nester and John Stahl.



John Sylvain '83 receives Alumni Award from Director of Studies Dick Leavitt.



Alumni Day runners.

## We Need Your Help!

Several classes still are not represented by a class agent or a class secretary. If you are interested in participating and you want more information, please call Gordon Greenfield or Stuart Chase in the Development and Alumni Office at 462-6643.

The following years need a class agent:

1935  
1948  
1955  
1957

Class agents write a few letters to their classmates, participate in phonathons — help to raise money!

The following years need a class secretary:

1931	1951
1933	1953
1936	1954
1937	1955
1938	1957
1941	1960
1942	1963
1944	1980

Class secretaries write a letter to their classmates before each Archon and collect and write news about their classmates for Class Notes.

GDA supplies paper, printing and postage for all letters written by class agents and class secretaries.





Amy Welch and Headmaster Ragle



Grandparents Estelle and Milton Feinstein meet with grandson Steve Bornstein.



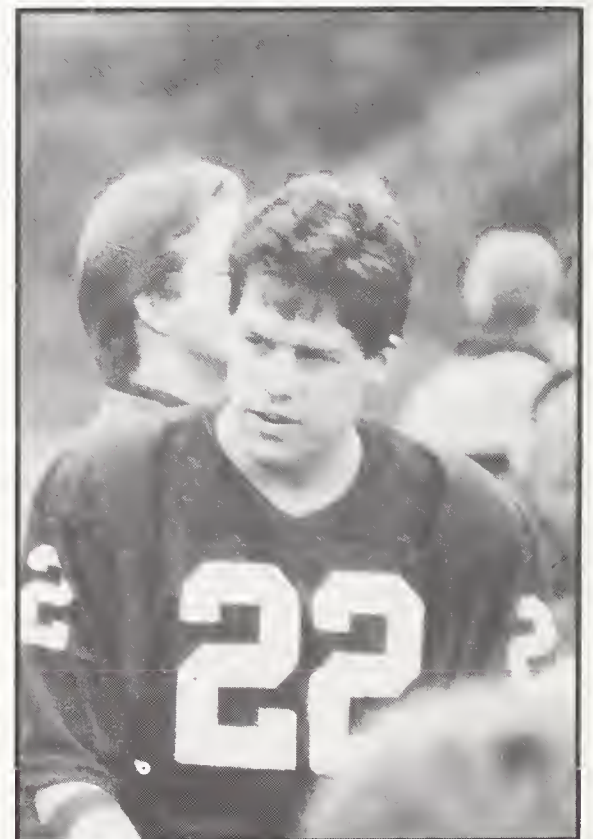
Buster Navins presents Mr. Ragle with book of letters.



Jeanne Smith '85 serves at Commencement High Tea.

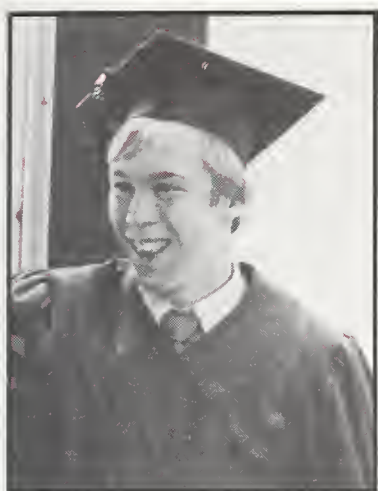


Reunion Day is enjoyed by Bob Squire '50, Bob '51 and Karen Goddard, and Trustee George McGregor '51.



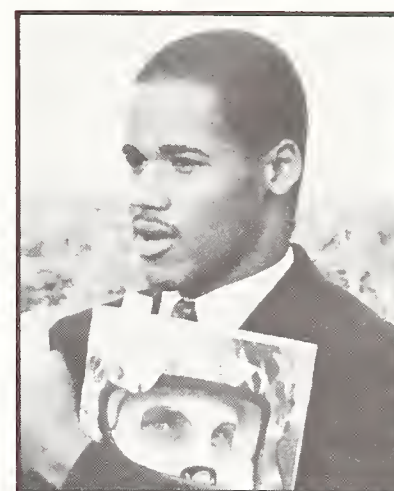
Lacrosse All-American Peter Jenkins '78





## Commencement Prize Winners

Morse Flag .....	Amy Susan Welch
Academy Prize .....	Alexander Packard Cawley
Thorndike Hilton Cup .....	Aaron Lars Halpern
Peter Marshall French Trophy .....	Philip John Appleton
Goodwin Athletic Prize .....	Andre Pierre LaFleur
Anne Marie Murphy	
Athletic Prize .....	Rebecca Bird Lapham
Thespian .....	Elea Jesse Kemler
Ingham Fund Scholarship .....	John Nicholas Giantis
Richard Hawes Francis	
Scholarship .....	N. Burke Leavitt
Dean Channing Hale	
Scholarship .....	Christine Irene Romboletti
Wilmot Roby Evans	
Scholarship .....	Elea Jesse Kemler
	Douglass Schofield Chase
	Arthur Horsman Cohen
Cummings Prize .....	Karen Marie Fasciano
Gaffney Prize .....	Bruce Cunningham Turner
Harvard Prize Book .....	Roechelle LaVette Smith
Barriskill Prize .....	Christopher Michael Frangos
Special Prizes .....	Elea Jesse Kemler
	Andre Pierre LaFleur
	Rebecca Helen Riehl
	Susan Jennifer Towler
Whittemore Award .....	Anthony Pascal Fusco
Wilkie Service Prize .....	Teresa Rose Russo
Bausch & Lomb Medal .....	Aaron Lars Halpern
Rensselaer Polytechnic	
Institute Medal .....	Henry Walton Long
Moody Kent Prizes	
English .....	Elea Jesse Kemler
History .....	Amy Susan Welch
Mathematics .....	Aaron Lars Halpern
Science .....	Susan Jennifer Towler
Religion .....	Chris Marshall Chance
Music .....	John Hibbert Borgman
French .....	Rebecca Helen Riehl
Spanish .....	Susan Beth Lilly
German .....	Arthur Horsman Cohen
Latin .....	Timothy Cameron Pierce
Art .....	David Elliot Gould
Ambrose Speaking Awards	
First .....	Amy Susan Welch
Second .....	Susan Lisa Studley
Third .....	Bruce Cunningham Turner
Alumni Association Award .....	John S.H. Sylvain
Class Agent .....	John Matthew Stahl
	Laurianne Nester
Class Secretary .....	Hope Appleton Williams





# Calendar of Coming Events '83/'84

Class Agents Meeting	September 17
Trustees Meeting	September 24
Homecoming and Headmaster Investiture	October 1
International Advisory Council	October 14 & 15
Parents Day	October 22
West Coast Receptions	October 24-28
Boston Reception	November 4
Alumni Winter Games	January 7
Reunion Alumni Weekend	June 1, 2 & 3
221st Commencement	June 8

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